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Berrien County Record.

BUCHANAN, MICH., THURSDAY, DECEMBER 4, 1879.

Agatha Kay.

BY LAURA UNDERHILL. The fire was dying when Agatha Kay Crouched over the embers in listless way; For she'd wasted her strength, as woman can

In making a speech on the "Tyrant Man." Her cheeks were sunken, for, truth to say, Her teeth beside her in saucer lay;

Were hanging her locks of nut-brown hair. One would almost doubt if her form so thin Was the same that late on the stage had been But a glance at the cotton upon the floor Such doubts would banish forevermore.

Then low she spake through her toothless jaws: If but the women could make the laws, No longer I'd sit, as I have for years,

Alone with my idle hopes and fears. No longer before a crowd would I stand. But to one I would yield my virgin hand; And the reason the world would quickly see Why we wish like the men to voters be."

Then poor Miss Agatha crept to her bed, While few and brief were the prayers she But she sweetly dreamed that a "Tyrant"

And that when he left she bore his name.

NOT SO BAD AS HE THOUGHT.

"Here I am-Elinor Royston; my education finished and myself ready to commence life, with a fortune of \$300 a year, and a large and varied assortment of old valentines, a canary which cannot sing, and a pug dog with a bad temper. O! and a heap of uideous dresses and an adorable new

So exclaimed a young lady as she stood in momentary stillness upon the hearth-rug, after a breathless burst into the drawing-room of Oaktree Hall. The master of the mansion, Graham Daglish, had been reading in the peaceful enjoyment of a splendid fire aud a luxurious arm-chair, which, ipon the girl's entrance, he had quitted, and came forward a few steps to

"Well," said Miss Royston, and after a moment's pause, in a tone of wonder, and gazing frankly into the eyes of her companion, "are you not going to ask me how I am?" "How do you do?" Daglish nodded

gaged in taking that inventory of your property for such a ceremony as shak-"How do you like my ulster? Don't rou like it? It's all pockets," she said, thrusting her hand into one receptacle, then into another. What a silly baby you are," Daglish

"I thought you were too much en-

cried, trying very hard to frown, and not to smile at the lovely, glowing | face now raised to his. "Do you want everybody to be the Methuselah that you are?" Elinor

A shadow crossed his, countenance at the random words. Elinor Royston was nineteen; Graham Daglish thirty-nine; and as the dew and sunshine are necessary to the life of flowers, so seemed this wayward, winning girl to Graham Daglish to be necessary to his existence. When, twelve years ago, she was left an orphan to their eare, both Daglish and his mother regarded the trust as a serious and unwelcome responsibility, but time had changed both their views. The old lady called Elinor her sunshine, and Graham had learned to love the sweet, various-mooded girl with all the strength of his resolute nature. Elinor's late absence at school was a

source of deep regret, and now upon her return home for good, high festival would be held in the hearts and in the mansion of Oaktree. "Are you not glad that I have finished with that detestable school?" she continued after a short pause.

"It depends upon how much you know. What can you tell me conscientiously you have learned, Nell?" She took her stand immediately before him, and checked off her accomplishments on the pretty fingers of her left hand as she spoke. "Music," she answered.

"Voice and piano gymnastics, I should rather say. "German, the whole of the French language, drawing, painting, and geography."
"Could you stand a good examination on the capital cities of Europe?"

he interrupted. "I should not like it," she frankly allowed. "But what does it matter: Everybody is not an old book-worm, like you. Perhaps when I am your age, I shall know nothing else."

"I have yet to learn that ignorance is so interesting," said Daglish, somewhat crossly, under the irritation of

her illusions. "So I am ignorant now, and I was silly before. You need not have told me so in the first hour that I was at home —at Oaktree, I mean," she said in proud correction of herself.

Occupied with his own bitter reflections, he did not notice the halt, and change of expression. But his in-difference was differently construed by the girl, who gathered up her hat and gloves and swept from the room in an-

"He gave me no welcome, although I gave him so many opportunities," she said to herself, as, brushing the tears from her eyes she shut the door. However melancholic the effect was upon his intellect, Mr. Graham Daglish had soon to witness the terrible process; for the next day the mansion at Oaktree was full with Christmas visitors, and one of these, Mr. Arthur Young, fell straightway in love with the brilliant beauty and charming ways of Elinor Royston, and his ten-der sentiments Mr. Young by no means concealed from an interested world. Miss Royston seemed too, to be receiving his attentions with favor

and complaisance. Daglish might witness the position of events with despair of spirits, but as her guardian he could make no reasonable objection to Arthur Young, who was an honest, handsome young fellow, and heir to a good property.-Beforehand, though, the would not have supposed him to be the kind of man to attract bright, original Belle Royston. Her preference, however, was clear enough; in fact, with the encouragement Young received, the only marvel was that he did not urge his suit more boldly.

The new year had come in, and the Hall guests were all gone save Arthur Young; and he would appear to have taken up a permanent residence there. wish I had one of those crimson roses that are in the conservatory," said Miss Royston, late one after-noon, as they sat in the drawingroom.

"They are all well out now; you can have twenty," said Graham Dag-lish looking off of his paper for a min-"Let me get them for you Miss Roy-ton," said Young with very unneessay alacrity, Graham Daglish thought. "How shall I find them?"

"Thank you; you're always kind. I will show you the tree," replied Miss, Royston, with still more unnecessary alacrity, ill-used Daglish considered.

soms. To torment himself still further, he pulled out a watch to observe how long the offenders would be ab-

But at length the guilty ones reappeared, just as twenty minutes were completed; not a bad allowance of time for plucking a couple of roses. Daglish surreptitiously pocketed his watch, affecting not to notice their return; but every gay laugh of Nell's went into his bosom like a poniard

thrust. The next day was one of singular beauty as regards weather, and the saddle-horses were ordered round early, for Arthur and Elinor proposed to take a long ride.

As she stood by her steed, Daglish offered to help Miss Royston to mount. "You need not trouble," said Elinor coldly, the incident of his neglect with regard to the flower ranking in her "I prefer the groom; you either lift me up short or nearly fling me over on the other side."

At the same time Young rushed forward, and seeing only a servant in attendance, cried :

"Let me put you up, Miss Royston."
And she accepted his attendance with the most gracious smile. Upon their return, which was not until 3 or 4 o'clock in the afternoon, Daglish noticed that Elinor was very much subdued in spirits.

To this circumstance, though, he did not attach much meaning or import-ance until an event the following morning gave the depression and ailment a new significance. The event was Arthur Young making the startling and nouncement in the course of breakfast of a necessity for his leaving by the first train.

"Is it possible, Mr. Young? and so suddenly, tool" exclaimed Mrs. Daglish. "You don't really mean it,old mar?" cried Graham Daglish.

The only person who showed no surprise was Miss Elinor Royston. "Well, Nell, are we to have a wedding?" asked Mrs. Daglish, while they were still sitting in the unsettled state that a hasty departure of one member leaves any family. At the same inopportune moment a

servant entered with a message from a poor widow, a pensioner at the Hall, begging she would see her with respect to some trouble she was in. Off bustled the kindly old lady, leaving Graham and Eliner to discuss the delicate topic she had introduced.
"Is that true, Nell? asked Daglish,in

a low tone.
"What if it be?" said Miss Royston, flashing defiance upon him from her eyes. "It is nothing to you."

"Nothing?" he cried. "It is much,
Elinor," he said, speaking calmly, but
with a certain tender gravity. "Your happiness is almost my chief concern. Arthur Young is a good enough fellow, his position suitable and all that, if you feel that he is calculated to make you happy, and you love him."
"It is something to be loved—to feel that one is cared for. Love to me is what water is to a man dying with

thirst," she cried passionately. "Elinor! Is that speech the fit reward of your treatment here?" "Forgive me-forgive me!" she said bursting into tears. "I am ungrateful; but that is just my trouble. I am a species of dependent; the recipient of charity-kindly, generous charity—still charity."
"Well," he said, and he took both

year 1735, having lost his wife, he moved to Exeter Township, Berks County taking up 1,000 acres of land. He brought with him one son, the her hands into his and looked straight at her. "I think you should know how much your presence is valued nere. To my mother you are almost necessary, and as for myself," he added, with a curious break in his voice, "gone, you leave me a solitary man for life. But heaven forgive me! I never meant to distress you by saying so much."

"Why should you not? Your-your conduct—" Then Miss Royston's tears flowed afresh -choking utterance. Her head turned aside to hide her tell-tale face. But not before Daglish had caught something of its tell-tale expression. "Child, let there be no misunderstanding between us in this supreme moment. If you have given your heart to Arthur Young, marry him, and

happiness go with you." "You have no right to say such a thing," pouted Elinor, interrupting "Much right and much reason, I

think," he answered, "although you will very likely set it down for jeal-Over Miss Royston's features a brilliant smile flitted sufficiently expres-

sive of successful mischief. But her triumph was his also, for he saw and interpreted the smile not altogether incorrectly.

"Nell, could you ever learn to love me?" he asked, abruptly.

Miss Royston apparently needed time to gauge her capabilities in that respect, for she gave Graham Daglish no reply for a minute or two; and while she hesitated two strong arms stole around her, and a voice whisper-

"Are you mine, to be my darling, cherished wife?" Miss Royston seemed still to be afshe suffered without opposition, or even remonstrance, the bondage in which she was detained.

Buffalo Bill's "Writ of Replevin,"

From his Autobiography. One morning a man came rushing up to my house and stated that he wanted a writ of replevin to recover possession of a horse that a stranger was taking out of the country. I had no blank forms, and had not yet received the statutes of Nebraska to copy from, so I asked the man: "Where is the fellow who has got your horse?"

"He is going up the road, and is about two miles away," he replied.
"Very well," I replied, "I will get the writ ready in a minute or two. I saddled up my horse, and then taking up my old reliable rifle, "Lucretia," I said to the man: "That's the best writ of replevin that I can think of; come along and we'll get that horse or know the reason why. We soon overtook the stranger, who was driving a herd of horses, and as we came up to him I said:
"Hallo, sir; I am an officer, and have

an attachment for that horse," and at the same time I pointed out the ani-

"Well, sir, what are you going to do about it?" he inquired. "I propose to take you and the horse back to the post," said I. "You can take the horse," he replied, "but I have'nt the time to return with you." "You'll have to take the time, or

pay the costs here and now," said I. "How much are the costs?" "Twenty dollars." "Here's the money," said he, as he handed me the greenbacks. I then gave him a little friendly advice, and told

him that he was released from custody. He went on his way a wiser and poorer man, while the owner of the horse and myself returned to the fort. I pocketed the \$20, of course. Some people might not think it a square way of doing business, but I didn't know any better just then. I had sev-The pair strolled away into the con- eral little cases of this kind, and I beservatory, Daglish wishing, too late, came better posted on law in the that he had offered to get the blos-course of time.

Two Ancient Forts in the Michigan How India-Rubber is Obtained. A correspondent of the Boston Com-

river, creek, and lagoon, the latter

formed by the overflow in the rainy

season, I could not perceive the dis-

tinction. In some instances the lagoons

appeared to have a current, while the

rivers had none, but I accepted their

rubber trees in all directions, and men,

more body.

smoke.

"There were abundant groves of

"A small round-bladed paddle, like

those used in the canoe, is dipped into

the milk, and turned over once or

twice. It is then drawn out, covered

with the coating of the liquid gum,

and held at once in the smoke of the fire, which hardens and also darkens

inch and a half in thickness. A knife

is passed along one edge of the blade

and the mass removed. It appears in

shape like a shoemaker's lapstone with

a sort of nozzle on one side. In this

state it is shipped. From one of these

lumps of commercial gum the differ-

ent coatings may be readily detach-

Abraham Lincoln's Ancestry.

Not far from the boundary line be-

tween Berks and Lancaster counties

lies the ancestral home of the Lincoln

family. Situated in the midst of the

old Welsh colony of Cærgarvon, and intermarried with some of its families,

they were looked upon as belonging

to the original Welsh colonists. A

letter from Daniel Lincoln, Birdsboro',

Berks County, appears in the Lancas-

ter Intelligencer, giving some account of the Lincoln family. From it we learn that Mordecai Lincoln, great-

great-grandfather of President Abra-

ham Lincoln, came from England and

settled in Massachusetts. About the

great-grandfather of the President .-

Mordecai married again in Berks and had several sons. The children by his

second wife are the founders of the

Lincolns of Pennsylvania, and those

by his first of the Lincolns of Massa-

chusetts. One of Mordecai's son's,

Abraham by name, married Anna Boone, a first cousin of Daniel Boone,

the Kentucky hunter, who was born

in Berks, and not in Bucks County, as

stated in history. John Lincoln, the

President's great-grandfather, moved to Virginia, about 1720. He had a son

Abraham, grandfather to the Presi-

dent, who removed to Kentucky about

1780, and was killed by Indians, when

his son Thomas, father of President

Lincoln was but a boy. Current history states that nothing is known of the mother of the martyr President, ex-

cept that her name was Hanks, and

that she was from Virginia; while

this letter asserts that the Hanks fam-

ily were originally from Berks county, and near neighbors of Mordecai

Lincoln. Hanks, with three sons of

Mordecai Lincoln, moved to Fayette

Women as Physicians.

No observant person, says James R.

Chadwick in the International Re-

view, can fail to admit that all the

larger cities of America contain

many female practitioners, who, spite

their general lack of attainments and

proper qualifications for the profes-

sion of medicine, are, on the average. as well patronized as those of the oth-

er sex. We have reached that absurd

stage-and the sooner we recognize it

the better-when the burning ques-

ton is no longer, "Shall women be

allowed to practice medicine?" They

are practicing it, not by ones or twos.

but by hundreds; and the only prob-

lem now is, Shall we give them op-purtunities of studying medicine be-

fore they avail themselves of the al-

It is clearly the interest of the com-

munity to give to women the fullest instruction, in accordance with the

most approved systems and under the

most eminent teachers; and also that

their proficiency should be tested by

the most rigid ordeals before they

finally receive certificates. By a re-

cognition of these certificates, and

their comparative values, the commu-

nity would be able to protect itself

from the imposition of the ignorant or

fraudulent pretenders to medical

The Cost of Railway Cars.

Under examination by the New

Tork State Committee on Railway Af-

1872 they were as high as \$1,200. A

an ordinary box freight car, that is,

when the box is not changed. A bag-

gage car truck and a passenger car

truck are about the same. The price

to \$2,500. The cheapest style of Wag-

river road cost \$5,400, including a

heater and some extra fixtures. Small

printed in the Chinese style, on long

strips of red paper, with his name,

tank cars for oil.

"Ku-Shung."

knowledge.

ready acquired right of practicing it?"

county, Penn., and hence Hanks moved to Virginia.

Philadelphia Press.

Pine Woods. mercial Bulletin, writing from the Amazon river, Brazil, gives the fol-The Farwell Register contains an interesting account of the present conlowing account of the method of dition of the ancient forts on the Rifle gathering rubber, as lately observed by him. The process, in many respects river, 12 miles east of West Branch Ogemaw county. There are two of resembles the method of obtaining these forts, and an examination of the sugar from the maple trees in Verupper one which is situated on a high bank near the river and about 25 feet "At last we arrived at the encampabove the river, showed the inclosure ment, which seemed to be on an island in a vast archipelago. Though to be in form round or rather oblong, the longest distance being north and the Indians divided the water into

The works consist of a ditch and embankment, which was found to be about 550 feet in circumference and about five feet from the bottom of the trench to the top of the embankment which appears to have been greatly reduced in height by exposure to the elements. Inside the embankment the surface is very level, save where trees grew, and there have been some large

women, and children were engaged in collecting the rubber, with more method in their labors than I should There are four entries to this encloshave expected among such a rude and ure, one facing each of the cardisavage people. Each one had a certain nal points of the compass. These ennumber of trees allotted to him, which trances or gateways are about wide enough to admit the passage of a waghe bored with an auger. He then inserted in the hole a piece of hollow cane. To the bark of the tree he fas-tened, with mud, a shell of the terrapin on. Instead of the trench being completed around the entrance, and bridging the same, it terminates on each or of a large clam, found in some of these rivers. These serve to catch the side of the passage way, where a narrow strip of ground appears to have liquid. When it drips from the cane been disturbed. These openings were it is white as milk, but thicker or with undoubtedly protected by gates. On the embankment was a rampart of logs with a palisade. There can scarce "A trough dug out of a log is stationed in a central point, and when be any doubt of this, for the remains the trees are all tapped, the man goes his rounds, watching his shells and of charred wood are found in different parts of the embankment. On the pouring the contents, when full, into the trough. Toward sunset a fire is right hand side of each passageway leading out, the embankment is higher made of leaves and twigs, upon which is thrown the fruit of a certain kind

than in other places. About eight years ago the pine timof palm, which gives forth a dense ber here was cut off. By counting the rings of yearly growth on a pine stump which stood on the embank-ment, it was found to contain 264 which, together with the eight years since it was cut, makes this work at least 272 years old-long before the days of the Jesuit missionaries, or the first whites that history records, which the coating. It is again plunged into the milk and again smoked, and this process is kept up until the blade of the paddle is covered an inch to an was in the year 1641—238 years ago.-Thus it will be seen that the date of this work is anterior to the first permanent English settlement upon the American continent, and about the days of Queen Elizabeth of England.

The timber that now stands within the surroundings has grown since the erection of this fortification; for the trees found within this enclosure and those surrounding appear to be about the same general size and age. Within about 60 rods, overlooking this work, are hills that rise, perhaps, 100 feet above the surroundings, showing that the builder of the defense did not

expect artillery to be used against it. The other fort, which is the larger of the two, is situated three miles further down the river, and is much more imposing and impressive in appearance. Like the other, this is situated near the river, on a slight eminence, and contains the same general characteristics-four entrances at right angles, north south, cast and west. Here the embankment is in some places ten feet high. The circumference of this work is over 600 feet. As in the other case, large trees grew on the embankment, and within the inclosure there was one about four feet in diameter. In the center of the western gateway stands a large hemlock tree, and the surroundings are covered with a thick, heavy growth of live timber. One tree which had been cut down near the edge of the inclosuse was over four feet in diameter, and by counting the successive rings or circles of wood was found to be about 390 years old.

Lightning Rods.

In an interesting article in the Building World, it is stated that there is in Carinthia a church which was so often struck by lightning that at length it became the custom to close it during the summer months. This continued until in 1878, the church was rebuilt and provided with a suitable lightning conductor, since which time the building has been struck but few times and has suffered but little damage. It was at one time held that the best way to protect a building was to repel the lightning from it, and as glass is one of the best non-conductors. a thick glass ball was placed upon the top of the spire of the Christ Church, Doncaster, England, but in 1836 lightning struck the church, shattering the ball and seriously damaging the spire. The carrying out of a theory which in this case proved so disastrous has had a happier result in the Houses of Parliament, London, where Sir W. Snow Harris, who was charged with protecting the building, carried the flat copper bands which were used for lightning conductors behind the plastering of the wall; and Faraday caused a spiral channel, following the course of the stairs from top. to bottom, to be cut in the granite of the light-house on Plymouth breakwater, in which was laid a massive copper lightning rod. One of the best instances of what may be called natural protection is offerded by the London Monument. This column, some two hundred feet high, is crowned by a bronze flame, which typifies the great fire of London; this flame is in contact with the bars of the iron cage in which it was found necessary to inclose the balcony at the top, to prevent persons from throwing themselves over, and the bars in their turn connect with the rail of the balcony and the hand-rail of the stair-case which descends to the ground. It is useless to try to insulate the vane spindle or finial upon a tower or spire by using glass rings; it is better to make this rod the upper part of the lightning conductor. The earth end of a lightning conductor should be carried to

The American Colony in Brazil. Raltimore Sun.

continually damp earth or running

water, but not to a stone-lined well or

A letter in the New York Herald gives a doleful account of the condition of a number of Southerners, who, fairs, a leading member of one of our largest car building companies, Mr. Gilbert testified that the average price at the close of the war, emigrated to Brazil, and settled around Santarem, on the Amazon, 500 or 600 miles from of box cars is from \$400 to \$450. In the sea. It is asserted that there is but one industry that has ever prosmilk car costs about \$100 more than pered sufficiently to secure the emigrant the necessaries of life, and that is cachuca, a kind of rum distilled from fermented cane juice. With a few exceptions their food and clothing is of a baggage car varies from \$2,000 of the coarsest kind. Many live for ner's drawing-room cars may be made for \$8,000; the usual price is \$12,000. This includes all the furnishing. The months with no other food than dried fish and mandioca meal, and, perhaps, some fruit and vegetables, and occa-sionally a little game or salt beef dried in the sun. The poorest laborer cheaper drawing-room cars, four wheels, are made for \$10,000. The orin the United States can buy with his dinary mail car costs from \$2,000 to earnings more luxuries in a month for his family than one sees in a year in \$3,000; distributing cars more. Cars for the New York Elevated Railroad any home, save two or three in the colony. Even white bread and butter cost from \$2,500 to \$3,000. The last ordinary passenger cars built cost \$4,-200; the last built for the Hudson are too expensive for most families.— The number who have actually settled at Santarem is 210; have left or died since, 154; there are in the colony cars for carrying ore cost \$200, Mr. now 56, of whom are children born Gillert had never made coal cars or there 14. Of the 210 original settlers there remain forty-two. When Caleb Cushing was Minister to China, he had his visiting cards

Sitting Bull's wife is named "Red Rosebud of the Prairie." Charming! Romantic! The Indian of it is "Tehugugutchugh."

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cause of it is so little understood by non-professional people, that some knowledge on this subject often proves valuable. Faintness consists in a temporary failure of the activity of the heart, the blood not being properly circulated in consequence. Although it does not reach the head, the sufferer loses all clearness of vision and if loses all clearness of vision, and, if not prevented, may fall; the fall not unfrequently restoring the normal condition. There is no convulsion, and though he—more probably she—can hardly be called conscious, he is not so profoundly unconscious as to be incapable of arousal, as happens in epilepsy. There are all degrees of faintness, from merely feeling faint and looking somewhat pale to positive and complete swooning. In some cases, one faint is no sooner cured than another and another succeed, hour after hour, even day after day. It is scarcely necessary to say that such cases are serious and need prompt treatment. The causes are various. Some persons are so easily affected that they swoon if they cut their fingers or see any one bleed. Their defect is oversensitive nerves and weak muscular fibre. The heart is essentially a muscle, which is feeble in some, strong in others,—feeble generally in women and strong in men. Whatever weakens the heart and muscles commonly produces faintness, close, foul air being an active cause. Whatever greatly affects the nerves, such as bad news or the sight of the disagreeable or horrible, may induce a swoon; and loss of blood is another and a serious incitement. health, naturally accompanied by firm nerves and muscles, is the best preventive of faintness. The majority of vigorous men go through all kinds of severe and painful experiences with-out fainting, while delicate men and women swoon at trifles. American women, who used to faint continually, in crowds, at bad news, at scenes of distress,—now faint comparatively seldom; and the fact is ascribed to their relinquishment, for the most part of the habit of lacing, to their increased exercises in the open air, and their better physical condition. Not one American woman faints to-day where, thirty years ago, twenty-five women fainted and the diminution of the disorder, always the result of direct causes, is an unmistakable evidence, which other things corroborate, of the marked amelioration of the health of

New York Times.

Fainting is so common with some persons, particularly women, and the cause of it is so little understood by

A Serious Mistake.

the highly-organized, extremely-sen-

sitive, but flexible and enduring wo-

men of our complex race.

Galveston (Texas) News. They were sitting on the stoop together. It was about 8:47 p. m. The moon was floating serenely across the heavens, which looked like an immense stretch of pale satin dappled with dramonds. There wasn't breeze enough to make the violets nod. The dew fell with its customary softness, and was pillowed upon the petal of the dreaming lily. After they had contemplated all the beauty of the foregoing tin-type, he broke the si-

lence:
"It rained this morning, didn't it

"It did," she replied sweetly.
"We have had a great deal of rain lately, haven't we, dearest?" he went on as he gave a hitch at his suspen-

"We have." "Do you like rain, my little peach?" "Neither do I!"

Then there was another long pause, and more contemplation of the aforesaid tin-type, when the youth again went on very feebly: "Does my little gold-haired gum-

drop think it will rain to-morrow?"
"I think not." "I wonder if it will rain next Thurs-

"Don't know; but I think it will rain to-morrow. "Why do you think so?"

"Why, because the skies are cloudy." "They are quite bright," he went on with a smile.

"I beg your pardon," she responded, good naturedly. "It was one of your ears that I took for a dark cloud." And then the young man who couldn't get up a conversation abrupt-

The Queen and the Herd Laddie. One day, some years ago, when her Majesty was standing on the public road, near Balmoral, sketching the castle from a particular point, a flock of sheep approached. Her Majesty, being intent on her work, took little notice of the flock, and merely moved a little nearer the side of the road. A boy in charge of the sheep shouted at

the top of a stentorian voice: "Stan' oot o' the road, 'oman, and let the sheep gae by!"

Her Majesty not moving out of the way quite so fast as the shepherd wish-

ed, he again shouted: "Fat ar ye stan'in' there for? Gang oot o' that' and let the sheep pass!" One of her Majesty's attendants, who had been at a distance. on hearing his Royal mistress thus rudely assailed, went up to the shepherd and thus addressed him:

"Do you know whom it is you have been speaking so rudely to, boy?"
"No—I neither ken nor care; but, be she fa' she likes, she sudna be i' the sheeps' road." "That's the Queen," said the official.

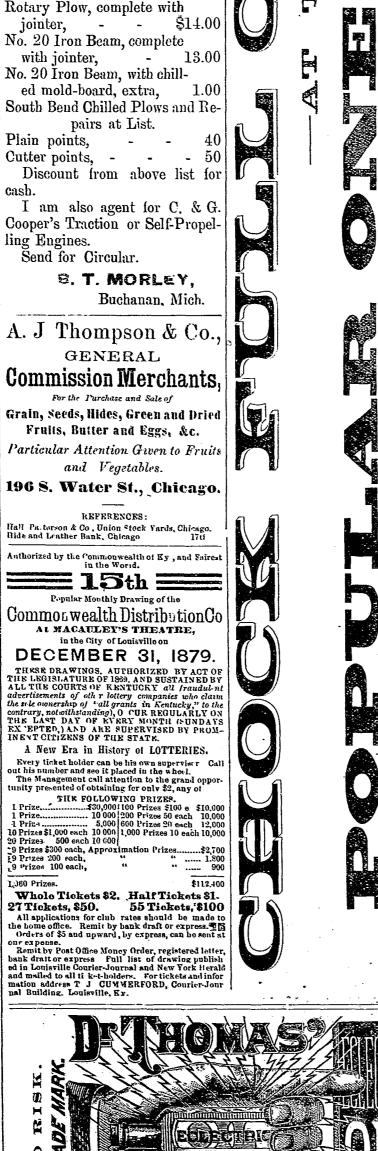
The boy looked astonished, and, after recovering his senses, said, with great simplicity: "The Queen! Od, fat way disna she

pit on cloes that foulk can ken hee?

"Gem'len," said the President as an old oyster can fell off the shelf in the corner with a loud bang, "I find dat de older I grows, de more I finds out I didn't know nuffin in my younger days. Dar was a time, when, if any nigger in ole Virginey had called me a liar I should hev lit down upon him like a catamount on a hoss-fly, no matter whedder I did lie or tell de truf.-Up on de f'ar grounds de odder day I was called a liar by a white man. I simply riz up one eye-brow at him an' axed him to prove it for money, an' de vilyun slunk away like a dawg. If a man calls you a liar you can knock him down all you want to, but his opinyun remains the same. If you ax him to prove it, and argy the matter wid him, he'll see his mistake an' apologize. I tell ye, if I war' a Baptist an' Samuel Shin war' a Mothodist, do you 'spect I could win him to my side by abusin' his belief an knockin' him down wid a grindstun? De world am too ready to strike out from de shoulder kase a hard word comes, and too quick to sot down on a man who can't be lifted up by de collar an' his opinyun shaken out ov his pockets. Argyments, my frends, are a heap better than cuss-words; opinyuns am way ahead of blows, an mindin' your own business, an' keepin' your head shut am de britest clinker in de coal-stove."-Detroit Free

When a finger pricks as though there was a thorn in it, and throbs intolerably when held downward, and vet there is no external sign of mischief, the probabilities are that a felon is in prospect, says an exchange. Go at once to the butcher's and procure some of the spinal marrow of a beef creature. Take a piece, say about two inches in length, and having cut it open lengthwise, wrap it around the affected finger, covering, of course with cloth. In a few hours change the piece of marrow for a fresh one. and continue to keep the finger so encased until all pain has ceased and there is no discomfort when the marrow is removed. The finger will look strangely white and porous, but the cure is complete. This remedy ought to become professional. It is vastly better than the surgeon's knife and more effectual.

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Pain cannot sta where it is used. It is the cheapest inclicine ever made. Five drops cover a surface as large as the hand. One dose cures common Sore Throat. One bottle has cured Bronchitis. Fifty cents worth has cured an Old Standing Cough. It positively cures Catarrh, Asthma and Croup. Fifty cents' worth has cured Crick in the Back, and the same quantity Lame Back of eight years' standing. It cures Swelled Neck and all other Tuinors, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Contraction of the Muscles, Stift Joints, Spinal-Difficulties, and Pain and Soreness in any part, no matter where it may be, nor from what cause it may rase, it always does you good. Twenty-five cents' worth has enred bad cases of Chronic and Bloody Dysentery. One teaspoonful cures Colic in lifteen minutes. It will cure any case of Piles'that is possible to cure. Six or eight applications are warranted to cure any case of Excoriated Nipples or Inflamed Breast. For Bruises, if applied often and bound up, there is never the slightest discoloration to the skin. It stops the pain of a Burn as soon as applied, and is a positive cure for Chilblains, Frosted Feet, Boils, Warts, Corns, and wounds of every description on man or Beast. Price, 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial size, 25 cents. FOSTER, MILBURN & CO., Sole Propr's, Buffalo, N. Y. For sale in Buchanan by all druggists. Go to your druggist for Mrs. Freeman's National Dyes. For brightness and durability of color they are unequaled. Color 2 to 5 lbs., price 15 cents.

Berrien Co. Record.

JOHN G. HOLMES, Editor.

THURSDAY, DEC. 4, 1879, For President in 1880, Gen. Logan

One thousand women voted at the recent election in Boston.

of Illinois.

The decrease in the National debt for the month of November amounted to \$799,823.13.

International industrial expositions are getting to be popular, and now Spain is preparing for one in 1881. It is estimated that six millions of

cago during the present packing season During the month of November the United States mints coined \$8,909,185 . in gold, \$2,499,000 in standard silver

dollars and \$31,236 minor coins.

hogs will have their throats cut in Chi-

The general wish of the whole country is that Congress shall let the finance question entirely alone this session. Will they heed it?

Flags were at half mast Monday in honor of the death of General Jefferson C. Davis, one of the brave defenders of Fort Sumpter.

A Roman Catholic priest at Morris, Ind., was arrested last Monday for brutally beating three children who had acted as bearers at the funeral of a Protestant child three years old.

Vanderbilt has just sold \$25,000,000 worth of New York Central railroad stocks, and it is thought he will invest the proceeds in roads west of the Missippi river.

A defalcation of twenty thousand dollars has just been detected in the custom house at Toronto, Canada. So it transpires that the United States is not the only place where defaulters get in their work.

The aggregate business of the nineteen principal cities of this country for the last week of last month, as shown by the clearing house report, was twelve hundred millions, against five hundred and eighty-five millions the corresponding week of last year.

A new experiment of crossing the different breeds of fish, such as shad and black bass, is being made quite successful by fish breeders, and the hybrids are doing well in the hatcheries. They have not been long enough in the rivers to tell of the ultimate success.

A bicycle contest between an English and American team, took place in the Exposition building, Chicago, last week, in which, as usual, the Englishmen came out behind. John Bull is to be admired for his pluck in continuing to enter into contests with Americans which so invariably result in his defeat.

Robert Toombs, of Georgia, in a dispatch to Chicago, recently, plainly uttered his sentiments of "Death to the Union." to which the Galveston, Texas, News, very curtly remarks: "That dispatch will add 100.000 votes to the Republican force in 1880." Let us hear from Lamar and a few more from that section with equal effect and make it an unanimous election for the Repub-

That a wholesale job of hanging is necessary in the vicinity of Blackville, South Carolina, is brought to mind by the recent assassination of William Nix. brother of the Post-master of that place who was shot a few months since. The reason given for this last outrage is that he was an important witness for the government in a case against one Barney Jeffcourt, for the violation of internal revenue laws. From the reports that come from there a free nse of hemp that would catch the necks of some of the local officers would have a good effect.

Secretary Sherman, in his annual report to Congress, advises the withdrawal of the greenbacks and their replacement by National notes not a legal tender but exchangable with gold and silver coin on demand. To this proposition there is the objection that the situation can not possibly be bettered, so far as the circulating medium of the country is concerned, and the exchange will be attended by both a great expense and every property of experiment. Everybody is satisfied with the present system of currency, and the general wish of the entire country is that Congress leave it entirely alone. The repeal of the legal tender act, as recommended by Mr. Sherman, would add to the business of the country the necessity of entering in writing in every contract an agreement of the kind of money payment shall be made, when no such agreement is now necessary.

A Holyoke, Mass., hackman named Joseph Parker, was recently excommunicated from the Catholic church for in some way disobeying the dictates of its priest. The priest, however, did not stop with this but forbid all members of his church from hiring the hacks or carriages of Joseph Parker upon pain of excommunication. For this act the priest was sued by Parker for libel in trying to injure his business, laying his damages at \$10,000, and obtained a verdict for \$3,433. The decision rendered by Judge Bacon was in effect that no eclesiastical authority is recognized in this country which al- stopped, and a few spoonfuls of brandy to the surface except when the heart lows of any interference with the private business of any man not connect. Three times she swooned in that way, ed with the church, no matter if he her. On arriving at the poor house had once been a member of that organ- she was taken insensible to her room ization and been excommunicated. This is but a fair sample of what might be expected from this source if the magnates of the church were allowed full sway in this country as they have for many years held in some of the old European countries.

The libel suit of C. C. Comstock, of Grand Rapids, against the Grand Rapids Times, still hangs fire. December 15 is the time set for trial now.

In accordance with the wishes of nearly the whole country comes the following report of the move in the financial question in Congress during the first day's session:

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2-The sentiments of the members of the House upon the

recommendations made by the Presi-

dent and Secretary Sherman regarding

financial legislation, can be judged

from the fact that Hiram Price, of

Iowa, all his life an apostle of hard-

money of the hardest kind, introduced

a resolution to-day declaring that any

legislation affecting the finances was inexpedient in the present condition of money affairs. A similar resolution was introduced by Mr. Fort, an extreme

soft-money man. The two men, rep-

resenting the two extremes of finan-

cial theory, met upon common ground,

declaring the same opinions. There

was an almost unanimous desire in the

House to vote upon Mr. Price's resolu-

tion, but one objection, under therules,

sent it to a committee, and Fernando

Wood made that objection. The reso-

lution went to the Committee on Bank-

ing and Currency, of which Mr. Price

is a member. The committee is unan-

imous in favor of the resolution, and

will report it back to the House at an

early date, so that a vote may be taken

penter will introduce the following

WHEREAS, The resumption of speci

payment, the circulation of gold, silver

and greenbacks as lawful money of

the United States under existing laws, and the reasonable exceptation that the present condition of the finances of the country will not be disturbed by

precipitate legislation, have been fol-

the country, and the inauguration of

WHEREAS, Stability in financial pol-

icy is essential to the successful con-

Resolved. That, in the opinion of the

Senate, any legislation during the pres-

ent session of Congress changing the

existing system of finance would be

Gregon forrespondence.

EDITOR RECORD:-The fall weather

here has been all that could be wished

for; enough of rain to insure the

planting of a much larger acreage of

fall wheat than ever before, and now

the weather is fine and warm, with

freeze up everything as tight as a solid

The fearful scourge of diphtheria is

per lb. in ten days: lumber has ad-

ter 40 cts. per pound: eggs 40 cts. per

boarding themselves; good mechanics

from \$1.75 to \$3.25 per day, with work

about one-half the time. All kinds of

goods-boots and shoes, groceries, &c.,

are rising in price. Apples are six

bits to \$1 per box of about half a bush-

el; potatoes, very low, 30 ets. per bu.

Month hands at farm work are paid

\$16 to \$20 per month and board. Saw-

piling it in wood house, six bits to \$1

saw chophee, pilee, sixle bittee." I

write this for the particular benefit of

those of your readers who have the

Next Saturday the two Indians that

assisted in the murder of the Perkins

family last summer, are to be hung at

Yakima City. A few days ago they

made a desperate attempt to escape,

but by the prompt action of the jailor

and the circuit judge they were driven

back to their cell. One of them was

shot and died, thus cheating the gal-

A Disgraceful and Inhuman Affair,

We are informed by O. W. Lamport,

Esq., the gentlemanly agent of the

Lake Shore and Michigan Southern

railroad at this place, that on the 16th

inst. there came on the 3 P. M. train a

feeble old lady, in company with her

grandson, a lad of some 17 years. The

old lady was left in the passenger house,

and the young man departed. After a

few hours it was noticed that the old

lady had fainted. Mr. Lamport had

her carried to his house, and his kind

lady had her placed in her own bed in

a warm room. In a few hours the boy

returned, said the woman was his

grandmother; that she had children

and grandchildren in this county, and

that he had brought her here to have

them take care of her; that he had

been to see her daughter, who lives

about four miles east of this city, and

that she would have nothing to do with her mother; that she had a son

living in the township of Somerset, and

he should go and get him and his wife

to come and get the old lady. He de-

parted, leaving his grandmother with

strangers, and without one penny, and

has not returned. But she had fallen

into the hands of the "Good Samari-

tans," and was happy for the time. But

that arrangement could not be perma-

nent. The next Monday morning, the

17th, she was taken to the poorhouse.

80 and 90.) and exceedingly feeble. It

was an even chance whether she would

get there alive or not. A hack well

filled with robes and blankets was pro-

vided. A physician and the lady who

had so kindly attended her, armed with

a bottle of brandy and a spoon, prepar-

ed to go "Over the hills to the poor-

and placed as comfortable as if on a

fell over, her chin dropped, and a deep

gurgle warned her attendants that her

trouble was ended. But the hack was

and laid on her bed, to all appearances

dead. Some hot sling and a warm

room revived her once more, and she

is-now as comfortable as a poor, feeble,

She was carried to the hack

After going one mile, her head

She was not sick, but old (between

lows of a desperate villain.

Oregon fever very bad.

PORTLAND, Nov. 16, 1879.

resolution to-morrow:

general prosperity; and

inexpedient.

insurance.

Washington, Dec. 2.—Senator Car-

STATE ITEMS.

Hereafter the State public school at Coldwater will not receive children over 12 years of age.

An employe in the Cassopolis Vigilant has just received an appointment in the Government printing office at

Fred Picter, of Jackson, has been fined \$25, \$10 costs and ten days in jail, under the new liquor law, for selling whisky to a drunkard.

A Kalamazoo firm manufactures

over 100,000 cigars per month. Last week snow in the vicinity of Allegan, Holland City and Life Lake was about a foot deep.

The Michigan military academy at Orchard Lake, Oakland county, opens its third year with 78 cadets on its roll.

Nine of the jurors in the asylum case, it has been ascertained, without any argument from the defendant's counsel, considered Mrs. Newcomer insane when she entered the asylum,

Justus Hale, a resident of the Buckeye state, has brought suit against Mrs. Adele Hazlett, of Hudson, the welllowed by a restoration of business known stump oratrix, and Mrs. Hazconfidence, revival of all industries of lett will defend her case herself. The suit comes from a landdicker in which Mrs. Hazlett was the seller and Hale the buyer, and which did not turn out duct of business affair; therefore, be it satisfactory to the purshaser .- News.

If a few of those people who have shot other persons this fall by mistake for turkeys, deer, bears, woodchucks, snipe and chipmunks were made to feel the weight of the law relative to their energy and rendering them still the careless handling of firearms, oth- weaker. They must be relieved from the careless handling of firearms, others might become more careful and valuable lives be thus saved.—News.

James O'Brien, of Manistee, struck Leadville, Col., with just 15 cents in his pockets, last winter, and now he comes back and solemnly asserts that he has struck it rich out there, and is on the high road to fortune. He "hoofnone of your cold north-west blasts to ed it" the last 190 miles of his journey to the carbonated El Dorado last year-

On the 14th a miner named Joel Jenmaking sad havoe in many parts of kins was killed in the Phonix copper this State and Washington Territory. mine through a piece of rock falling It seems to be the prevailing disease here, and it is dreaded by our people on him. He leaves a widow and one almost as much as the cholera or small | child. Mrs. Jenkins has been twice married, both of her husbands having met their death through mine acci-A very large warehouse at Albany was destroyed by fire last week, con-

taining 16,000 bushels of grain, mostly A pie-eating match between two vobelonging to the farmers who had racious men of Sunfield, Eaton county stored it waiting for higher prices. It was recently contested in that town. was the work of an incendiary. No Pumpkin pies of a uniform size were The price of almost every article of half an hour was to be the winner. the disease becomes so firmly fastened any importance is rising. Wheat is at One got away with nine, the other as to prevent those means, which if rea stand still at about \$1.10 per bushel; eight.

pork, net, \$8.50; flour \$6.50 per bbl.; The report comes to us that young sugars have advanced 312 to 412 cts. King, of Johnstown, who was shot by Seward Hinchman in September, 1878, vanced \$5 per thousand feet on rough was again shot at a few evenings since lumber, other kinds in proportion; iron while returning from Battle Creek in is higher and steadily advancing; buthis buggy. The would-be-assassin was secreted by the roadside and fired, the doz.; cheese 25 ets. per pound; wood ball going through Mrs. King's hat .-\$3.50 to \$5.50 per cord. Common la-Nashville News. borers get from \$1.50 to \$1.75 per day,

Mrs. Wm. Harding, of Maple Grove, Barry county, gave birth to three girl pabies November 20, their joint weight being 15 pounds 14 ounces. The first weighed 5 pounds 10 ounces; second, 5 pounds 6 ounces; third, 4 pounds 14 ounces, and they have been named respectively Mina, Mattie and Minnie. The little ladies are well and hearty and already are attracting a great deal ing wood twice in two, splitting and of attention, having received 30 callers per cord. As the Chinamen say, "Two

Last week a team was found in an old shed, in the south part of town, actually starving to death. It seems that the owner of the team went off visiting, leaving the team in the shed with only some musty oat straw to feed upon. When they were found on Sunday one was in an entirely helpless condition. The village authorities took possession of the horses and they will be properly cared for, and we shall feel encouraged when we hear that the brutal owner also is properly cared for, because that will mean a reasonable

term in jail.—Reading Telephone. The Clinton, Lenawee county, News relates that one day last week Robert Smith and family started from their home for Clinton, and after coming part of the way their wagon broke down, and all alighted. Mrs. Smith uncovered her child, somethree months old, which she was carrying in her arms, when she was horrified to find that it was dead, having suffocated by

Consumption. BY V. CLARENCE PRICE, M. D.

being so tightly wrapped up.

Our experience has proved that Pulmonary Consumption is produced in a great many instances by a primary affection of the Liver, and is, generally speaking, one of the principal causes for its so frequent prevalence, in this climate. Many persons suffer more or ess from a deranged state of the Liver, which in its early stages does not interrupt them in their daily pursuits, therefore allowed to go on from year to year and convey the disease direct to the lungs.

The necessity under these circumstances of those who suffer from an affection of the liver resorting to proper treatment for relief as early as possible cannot but be apparent to all. We do not wish to be understood that a primary affection of the liver, is invariably the exclusive cause of pulmonary consumption. Many other causes may exist favoring such results, as hereditary disposition, asthma. catarrh, throat affections, and the result of acute diseases, as fevers, pleurisy, inflammations, injuries to the breast etc The direct action of diseases, upon the lungs, in ordinary cases, in the first instance is debility. The patient soon looks pale and wan, the blood has left the surface of the body—the powers of the heart become diminished, and rendered incapable of throwing the blood becomes so completely gorged as to produce reaction, as witnessed in hectic fever. The heart beats rapidly, pulsations often high, it appears like a struggle to keep alive the circulation. No free volume of blood is thrown either to the skin or lungs. Under these circumstances it is impossible.

that the blood should become decar-

bonized, hence its depraved character

"turned out on the prairie to winter."
Berrien county papers please copy, weak, they are unable to expand and contract sufficiently to force the blood so that her son who sent her here from from them to the heart as fast as the Berrien Springs may know that his heart throws it to them; hence the araged mother has found with strangers teries, veins, and capilliary vessels bewhat was denied her by a-son!-Hillscome filled and extended with blood; in consequence of which the lungs become swollen, and there is not sufficient room in the chest to expand, hence shortness of breath or difficulty- in breathing. When the lungs are thus distended with blood, upon some slight exertion as coughing, some of their small vessels become ruptured and blood is discharged from the mouth called "bleeding of the lungs."-When the lungs are diseased, their whole texture is weak-and in this state the injury to be created by inhaling tubes, cannot but be evident to all. By the use of the tube the lungs become highly inflated with air, and their cavities widely distended. The distention and consequent compression by their mucous tissues and membranes, force the blood from them back again to the heart, by which means the lungs are relieved, and should the lungs have sufficient strength to stand the violent action of the inhaling tube the patient may be made to feel better. But if a portion of either being disposed to ul-

cerate, or the blood too thick to flow freely, the blood vessels may be ruptured, and serious mischief follow. Various gasses, vapors, etc., have from time immemorial been inhaled with but trifling benefit. The principles and practice we adopt for the cure of Pulmonary Consumption are in accordance with the views above set forth. It requires that the blood charging the ungs should be induced to quit them, that it should be induced to circulate in its natural channels, upon the surface of the body; free circulation in the hands and feet be established; a determination from the lungs into the system must be brought about, not only for a short time, but for a length of time, and until you can by the use of internal medicines render the blood healthy, and allow the lungs to recover sufficient strength to enable them to perform their office. It is the weakness of the lungs which produces the difficulty and this cannot be overcome whilst the accumulations of blood in the lungs are constantly exhausting this accumulation or Consumption can-

not be cured. Any inducement to the lungs must necessarily increase diseased action, it is not to the lungs but from the lungs into the system, that is required; if absorption from the lungs can be accomplished, what is the result that must follow? Will not the lungs be come less charged with blood? Will not the swelling become less and the difficulty of breathing thereby be obvi-Will not the ulcer on them by this absorption become daily smaller, by the effusions from the lungs into the ulcers formed upon them becoming less and less, and will not the ulcer finally close? And if the blood be freed from virus will not the disease be cured? The means we employ induces blood from the lungs and internal organs to the surface of the body, and keeps it circulating there, by which action the patient can breath more freely, expectoration thicken and be come less, irritation lessened, cough diminished, while at the same time we are purifying the blood, and eventual y effecting a cure.

Do not linger, trusting to an uncerused, and the man who ate the most in | tainty until strength is exhausted and sorted to at an earlier period, might have restored to health.

We have devoted our entire energies to the treatment of chronic diseases, such as diseases of the lungs, throat, liver, heart, stamach, kidneys and blood for years, and during the time that we have been engaged in the specialty, we have had ample opportunities for investigating the causes, symptoms, tendency, and treatment of such ailments. An intelligent public must see that those who make chronic diseases a special treatment, must be better prepared to successfully handle them than those who devote their time to local or acute maladies.

We shall make our visits regularly for years, and will be for consultation upon all diseases of the lungs, throat, heart, nerves, blood, etc., on our next visit, at Niles, Bond House, on Saturday and Sunday, the 27th and 28th of

LONDON, Nov. 28 .- The bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England on balance to-day was £80,000. The bullion withdrawn from the Bank of England to-day was for the United States: NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—The steamship Seythia brought \$875,000 in British gold bars and American gold coin.

They Worked Together.

When your system gets out of tune and you feel completely played out, it is pretty certain that you need a medicine to act on both the Kidneys and Liver for those important organs work together in freeing the system of its waste, and keeping up the tone. Then take Kidney-Wort, for this is just what it does, for it is both diuretic and ca-

One Experience from Many.

"I had been sick and miserable so long and had caused my husband so much trouble and expense, no one seemed to know what ailed me, and I was completely disheartened and discouraged. In this frame of mind I got a bottle of Hop Bitters and used them unknown to my family. I soon began to improve and gain so fast that my husband and family thought it strange and unnatural, but when I told them what had helped me, they said, "Hurrah for Hop Bitters, long may they prosper, for they have made mother well and happy."—The Mother.—Home Journal.

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bonized, hence its depraved character is constantly increasing, becoming less able to sustain either the muscular, nervous or glandular systems. The adjoining the village of Pittsford, in this county. That they deeded the farm to a favorite son, for which he was to care for them in their old age. But, as often occurs in such cases, the property was soon squandered, and the old folks, to use a western phrase, were Pase, were equipment neares

Marriages.

November 27, 1879, at the residence of William Dougherty, Esq., Berrien Springs, Mich., by Rev. J. F. Bartmess, Mr. HENRY W. COULTER, of New Orleans, La., and Miss LIZZIE M. DOUGHERTY, of Berrien Springs, Mich. November 27, 1879, at the residence of Mr. Thos Mars, in Berrien township, by Rev. J. F. Bartmess, Mr. HOMER E. HESS and Miss MARGARET BELLE MCINTIRE, both of Berrien county. Niles and Berrien Springs papers please copy.

Death's. Died. November 27, 1879, at the residence of W. J. Ford, in Springboro, Pa., Mrs. A. B. PHILLIPS, daughter of A. A. Durand, of Buchanan, aged 21 years, 9 months and 5 days.

She leaves many friends to mourn her loss. BUCHANAN PRICESCURRENT

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Estate of Austin W. Ensign, Dec'd. OTATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, ss.—

At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate office, in the village of Berrien Springs, on Tuesday, the 25th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventuries. -nine. Present, Alexander B. Leeds, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Austin W. Ensign, deceased. • On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Alonzo Goodenough, praying that a certain instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to himself, the executor in said will named, or to some other suitable person. able person.
Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the fifth Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the fifth day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the village of Berrien Springs, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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[L. S.] ALEXANDER B. LEEDS,
(A true copy.) 43w4 Judge of Probate. Scribner's Monthly

So great has been the demand for recent numbers of this magazine that the monthly circulation has increased more than 20,000 copies within the year, and the edition for November, 100,000, was exhausted within two weeks after issue. The English edition has recently doubled, and the magazine has everywhere taken its place as the most handsomely illustrated popular periodical published in the English language. Every number contains 160 pages of contributions from the best American authors, and from 50 to 100 wood engravings. The publishers call attention to the following

ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR 1880. The Reign of Peter the Greet, by Eugene Schuyler, will begin in an early number, and continue through two years. It will be a Work of great historical significance and of rare graphic and dramatic interest. Bureaus of illustration have been established in Paris and St. Petersburg, specially for the execution of the pictorial part of this enterprise—an enterprise involving a greater outlay than any pieviously undertaken by a popular magazine.

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Poets and Poetry.-Edmund Clarence Sted-

Poets and Poetry.—Edmund Glarence Stedinan will contribute to Schuner's MONTHLY during the coming year critical essays on this subject, including the beginnings of the poetic art in this country, and its subsequent history. Richard Henry Stoddard will furnish studies of subjects contributed with furnish studies of subjects contributed with the studies of subjects with t ry Stoddard will furnish studies of subjects connected with English poetry, the first paper being on "The English Sonnet."

Saunterings With Dickins.—A number of unique papers to be contributed to Scrimer by Alfred Rimmer Esq., of Chester England. For the illustration of these, Mr. Charles A. Vanderhoof has been sent on a special trip to England. Practical Papers on Home Subjects.

This class will include a number of finely illustrated papers on "Small Fruits and their Culture," by Rev. E. P. Roe, of Cornwall, N. Y., one of the most successful of horticulturists. Papers on "Church and Home Architecture" will be contributed by Russell Sturgis, Esq. .

Sports and Recreations.—In addition to un illustrated account of the recent excursion of the Tile Club in a canal-boat, there will be a number of special papers during the year, upon odd personal experiences, such as Porpoise-Shooting, Walrus Hunting, Lobster Fishing, Canoeing in the Rapids of the Hudson, and several papers of a novel character. character.
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other Features of Scribber.—"Extracts from the Journals of Henry J. Raymond," edited by his son, H. W. Raymond; Accounts of the South Pass Jetties, American Arms and Ammunition in Europe, The U. S. Coast Life-Saving Service, The New Albany Capitol, Child Saving Work, etc., etc. Sketches of Louisiana Life and Scenery, New York City and Vicinity, American Life in Florence, Kansas Farming, California Mountain Sheep and Forests (by John Muir), House-hunting in Paris, Sheep ests (by John Muir), House-hunting in Paris, Sheep Ranching in the West, and many other interesting subjects. and there will be the usual variety of essays, poems, and short stories.

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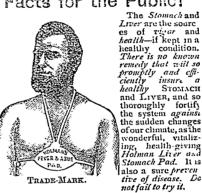
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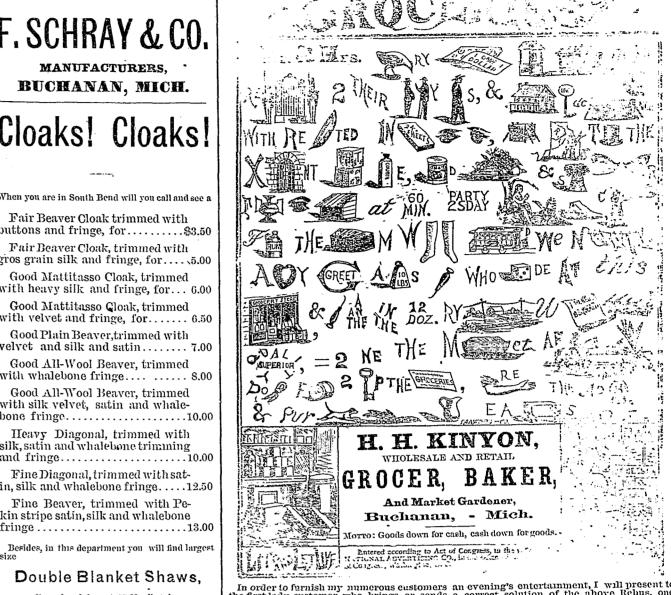
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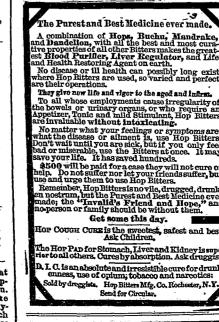
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THREE week before Christmas. GENTLEMEN, DON'T FORGET TO PUT UP THOSE STREET LAMPS.

STILL the price of wheat climbs slowly up.

Mrs. EUNICE Rose of this place was buried yesterday.

Time to commence to practice writing 1880 for the New Year.

Now is the time for dealers to be advertising their holiday goods.

BUTCHERING among the farmers

will keep them busy this month. MR. WILLIAM HULL returned to this

place, from Leadville, Col., last Friday. SCARLET FEVER is carrying off some

the little folks of Niles on short notice. St. Joseph county, Ind., is out of debt, and the Herald says has money

SOUTH BEND is figuring hard for the

SPECIAL attention is called to the advertisement of J. W. Beistle in another column.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Bowman received a Thanksgiving present of a ten-pound boy.

Mg. A. L. Aldrich, of Flint, formerly a resident of St. Joseph. visited this county Monday.

Another valuable addition of fancy job type was added to the Record office last Saturday.

THE RECORD has more subscribers now then before for three years, and the list is fast increasing.

QUITE a number of new locomotives ars being taken over the Michigan

Central to some Western line. THE agent for "Grant's Tour Around the World" had sold sixty copies up to

vesterday morning. THERE is a general squabble in St Joseph about who shall have the post

office in that place next term. There were a few most beautiful exhibitions of aerial pictures during

the nights of last week and this. JUDGE SMITH held circuit court in Mr. D. E. Hinman's Office, in this place,

for the trial of four cases, last Friday. TREASURER J. W. R. Lister may be found in his office, in Fox's building,

for the collection of taxes, to-morrow, Dec. 5. There was a wedding in town Tues-

day evening, the contracting parties being Mr. William Long and Miss Belle There were about thirty Roes at

the Roe family dinner, at J. H. Roe's, Thanksgiving day. Quite a row of

ble supplement containing the President's Messasge. Do not cast it aside but read it carefully.

MR. H. E. RUSS has bought a farm of Mr. Winfield Wilson, near Avery's, paying \$2,500 for 80 acres. He will move on the land.

MAXWELL'S New York Theatre is in this State, and we will probably have an oportunity to have them here again this winter.

Many thanks to the kind, but unknown, friend who left at the door of Thanksgiving dinner.

DIPHTHEIA is prevailing at New Troy with considerable fatality. A young son of A. W. Pierce died from the effect of that disease last week. THE mail train going west Saturday

afternoon was made about two hours late at this place, by a freight train being off the track near Ann Arbor.

GEORGE TREAT, one of the boys who were arrested Friday night for being drunk, is spending ten days with Sheriff DeMont. That's the new law.

MR. HARRY PLIMPTON, who has for three or more years been residing in Sedan, Kansas, returned to this place | few days since. He has recently bought last Friday, and we learn will take a farm near Pokagon, and will probably charge of the jewelry store in Berrien turn his attention to the work of the

WE learn that Mr. Wright Smith returned from Galien this morning with wounded hand,

THOS. MCNALLY, north of Dayton had several sheep wounded by dogs on Saturday night. Justice Dick assessed the damage at \$10.

ANDREW G. CONRADT claims that on

Tuesday evening dogs got among his

sheep and killed thirteen, and wounded about as many more. Justice Dick will assess the damages this afternoon. 'MR. JAMES BURRUS, for about twenty years a resident of Dayton, died Monday afternoon, of consumption,

aged 67 years, 6 months, and 12 days. Are we not to have those street lamps? Let neighbors talk of the matter and a few cents by each will furnish a neighborhood with a street light for dark nights.

IT seems that Mrs. E. Murray, of Niles, is one of the heirs to the famous Carpenter estate in England, valued at £4.000,000. She is, however, a lady of oo good sense to allow it to make a "Miss Flite" of her.—News.

*THE attempt to have a club dance in Dayton last Friday evening was another failure. That place has lost its old popularity for that kind of amusement.

The work of building the new brick walk along the west side of Rough's block has received considerable of a check by the bad weather, but is now completed.

WE are informed that this year the taxes in this school district are sixteen cents on each hundred dollars of assessed valuation lower than last year, being \$3.94 this year to \$4.10 last year.

STILL another daily at St. Joseph. The Republican, not to be outdone by its neighbors, is to start a daily edition. This fills the quota for Berrien county at fifteen newspagers.

WHILE Mr. N. Johnson was waiting at the depot, at few days since, someone opened his grip-sack and stole his searf. He thinks it has gone to find Charley Evans' overcoat.

Mink-skins are selling this winter at ten to eighty cents each, when a few years ago they brought as high as \$12.50. That is no fault with the mink but that kind of fur is not in fashion.

Mr. Sweet, of St. Joseph, placed a stock of goods in the store formerly occupied by Redden & Graham, at Berrien Springs, but in a few days closed them out again.

The latest patent right that has graced our streets is a sheep-rack, that has occupied a place near the sidewalk, on Oak street, since Saturday. John Perrott will manufacture them.

THE Misses Annie Rivers, Annie O'Bier and Stella Cony, of Downgiac, were in this place visiting with Mrs. D. E. Beardsley and family last Satur-

MISS MAY BAINTON will recite a poem at the Red Ribbon meeting, next Friday evening, entitled "How Mrs. Gray came to go into a Saloon." Let all who can come and hear it.

II. I. CAUFFMAN had a whip stolen from his baggy, on Main street, Tuesday evening. There must have been a good number of people out of whips by the amount of stealing that was done that evening.

Mr. EDWARD BAXTER, one of the oldest men of Niles township, was buried in Oak Ridge cemetery Saturday, aged 93 years. On Tuesday of the week before he walked to town and back. He was a constant follower of the teachings of Paine.

Those Detroit papers still cling to the old dress patterns they used to use for a map of Michigan, and persist in locating towns of this county in St. Joseph and Kalamazoo counties. Its all right, boys, if you don't know any

Mr. H. H. KINYON went to Chicago Tuesday and ordered scenery for his hall. It is to be painted by the scenery painter in Haverly's theatre, one of the best in the city. With the exception of the scenery, the hall will be ready for use within a week.

Mr. John Hus left his horse and buggy standing in front of Mr. Beistle's house a few minutes, Tuesday evening, and when he returned some one had stolen his buffalo robe, whip and gloves from the buggy. He would be pleased to have them returned.

THE case of Catherine Ashcraft against the village of Buchanan, in which she asks for \$10,000 damages for injuries received by falling through a weak board.in the side-walk, is to be tried in Grand Rapids sometime this month.

MR. JOHN REDDEN, Treasurer of Bertrand township, will be at First National Bank in Niles for the collection of taxes on December 20 and 27, at the residence of James Badger on Thursday, Dec. 18 and 25, and at his home, near Bakertown schoolhouse, on each Friday of the month.

A special meeting of Buchanan Grange was held in Summit Lodge the M. E. Parsonage a fine turkey for | Hall last Saturday. It is expected that their new hall in Fox's building will be finished ready for their next regular meeting, one week from next Saturday, when the annual election of officers will be held.

> MR. GEORGE CHURCHILL is getting his new house, on his lot on Chicago street, well along toward completion, but will probably not have it ready to occupy before spring. He will then have three very comfortable houses there for renting.

> LEW HOYT, for over twenty years one of the most faithful employes of the Michigan Central Company, has been given the grand bounce for his first accident, which occured in Niles a

THERE is strong talk of starting a co-operative store in Berrien Springs. Sometimes they succeed and sometimes they don't. The one in this-place is a success, but, so near as the RECORD is able to learn, it is one of the great exceptions to the general rule.

THERE is a movement on foot to form a joint stock company among the fermers of this county for the proprietorship and management of the Berrien County Agricultural Society business. This looks like a very plausible way to make that institution a rousing success. Why not turn the whole thing over to the grangers, and then it will move.

THE new law that imposes a fine or imprisonment on any person who gets crunk appears to be a good stroke in the right direction. Two cases of that sort were lodged in the cooler Friday night. Pretty poor business, hoys, to make yourselves lower than any dumb brute. There is no dumb animal that will do such a thing.

THE new case for coupon tickets has arrived at the depot, and the tickets will be here in a short time, when you can get tickets in this place for any part of the country and over any road. For this new arrangement we may thank Mr. J. J. Roe, for it was he who took the most active part in getting up the petition.

ONE of the schools in St. Joseph has been closed for the second time be cause a few of the parents in the district persist in allowing their children to go there and make a disturbance, rather than to try to learn anything. If such parents could be made responsible for the good behavior of their children, by a fine or otherwise, we would hear of less such reports as the above.

List of Letters.

Remaining in the Post Office at Bucharan, Wednesday, Dec. 3, 1879. Henrie, Mary-drop Stevenson, Mr. Rigs, Ellen V. Walderrand, Ella

This list is published free for the informathere is no charge for delivery of letters advertised herein. Persons will, however, in claiming any of the above, call for "advertised letters." L. P. ALEXANDER, P. M.

WE are glad to note the renewed agitation of the railroad question by the people of Berrien and Buchanan. Benton still stands ready to meet them thing stronger than talk to lift against and rather think by the way they are spitting on their hands over south that something will be done. Get ready, men, and don't keep your hands in your pockets .- Benton Harbor Palla-

CITIZENS of Buchanan are taking a very active interest in the matter of building that narrow-gauge railroad across the county, and if the enterprise falls through this time, it will, as usual, be the fault of the people at the county seat. The supervisors should watch this matter closely, and if Berrien Springs is lack in her duty in the premises, the board at the January meeting should seriously consider the propriety of submitting to a vote of the people of the county the question of the immediate removal of the county seat.—Benton Harbor Times.

It is a common want among publishers to receive credit for their writings when copied by others, but when it comes to giving credit to the RECORD for the Democratic ravings of the Berrien Springs Journal, as the Free Press did in its issue of November 26, it is too much of a good thing and calls for belud or retraction, and that forthwith. The Journal man has three libel suits already against brother publishers, whom he accuses of having taken his name in vain, and it may be well for the Free Press to keep a lookout for breakers.

A COMPANY of seven of the men of this place, who are mostly interested in the construction of the narrowgauge railroad through this place from the mouth of the river to South Bend and thence south, went on a tour of inspection over the Lawton & Lawrence narrow-gauge road Monday, and were well satisfied that that is the kind of road that will best pay on this route. The interest is still increasing, and where it will do the most good. There seems also to be a strong sympathy with the movement among the citizens of Benton Harbor. The owners of the boats of that place can well afford to give a liberal portion toward the enterprise.

CAYSTAL WEDDING.

On Wednesday, Nov. 19, Mr. and Mrs. James Case celebrated their crystal wedding. As the evening shadows gathered a cold rain began falling, which soon changed to a stinging sleet, and was accompanied by a keen north wind. Many were detained by the inclement weather, but a goodly company assembled at the hospitable home, whose interior bore no evidence of the storm without. Light, warmth, blooming plants and masses of green foliage awaited the guests, and a bountiful hot supper was served by the smiling host and hostess. Many were the good-natured wishes that they had not been married "just fifteen years ago," and remarks that there was "too much crystal" about this wedding, when the coming was referred to, but all enjoyed the gathering.

Among the merry party present were Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Roe, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Roe, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Howard, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Able, Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. Niles, Mr. and Mrs. Aiken, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Roe, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Richards, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Crandell, Mrs. J. J. Roe Mrs. B. J. Powers, Miss Lyda Hamlin, Misses Able and Mr. Howell Strong.

The following substantial tokens of good-will were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Case: A pickle caster in silver stand, Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Roe, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Roe, and Mr. and Howell Mrs Strong; sauce dish and sugar bowl, Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter; large lamp with bronze base, Mr. and Mrs. A. and H. Case; set of sauce dishes, Mr. and Mrs. Niles; lamp, Mr. and Mrs. Able: set of goblets, the Misses Able; preserve dish, Mrs. B. J. Powers; bread plate with motto, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Clark; frosted glass vase, Miss Lyda Hamlin; pickle dish and bread plate, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Crandell; pickle riodical pain is permanently removed. castor, handsomely cut, Mrs. Haggerty; Will you heed this?—Cincinnati Satursauce dishes and vegetable dish, Mr. day Night.

and Mrs. Aiken; cake plate, Mr. and Mrs. Jones; sugar bowl, cream pitcher, spoon holder, water pitcher, goblets, butter dish, cake stand and salt cups Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Roe, Mr. and Mrs.' Eli Roe, Ma and Mrs. Paxton, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Richards, pair flower vases, Mr. and Mrs. Birdsell and Mr. and Mrs. Brown. * ----

THE INSANE IN OUR COUNTY HOUSE.

pers are having a great deal to say

about the condition of the Insane at

EDITOR RECORD.-The county pa-

the County Poor House, and are asking for a special meeting of the board of supervisors, to take the necessary steps to provide better quarters for them. Now, I admit that such rooms as the insanc occupy are a shame to the people of Berrien County, and ought to be replaced by those more convenient and comfortable, that they may have all the comforts while they live that are due them from a civilized community. While I am willing to give them, anything reasonable for their comfort. I do not think a special meeting of the board of supervisors is the best plan for the county or the insane. Why? Because, first, a special meeting of the board will be an expense to the county somewhere between two and three hundred dollars. Second, an attempt to build in mid-winter would add thirty three per cent. to the expense of building, over and above what it would cost to build next season, with good weather and long days. Third, a building to do them any good would have to be built in great haste. and the more haste the larger will be the hill you will have to pay, and the poorer will be the building you pay for, and yet with all your haste you cannot have the building ready to occupy before the coldest of winter is over. Now, I understand from the superintendent in charge of the farm, that their suffering is from cold in the long winter nights when the fires go out, but that they can be kept comfortable through the day without any trouble. Then why not save the expense of an extra session and the extra expense of building in mid-winter, and with a tion of the readers of the RECORD, therefore | small portion of this money hire a man and make it his especial duty to keep fires in their rooms from 6 P. M. until 6 A. M. Then let all needed legislation be done at the regular meeting of the board, and the necessary building be done before another winter. If the superintendents think this half way, and a little more, whenever | suggestion worth anything let them they are ready to lift. We want some- act upon it at once, and they need not fear any gruppling when they present their by ard for allowance

SUPERVISOR. A regular meeting of the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan was held at the Council Room, in Engine House No. 1, on Friday evening,

Nov. 28, 1879. Present-J. D. Ross, President; B. D. Harper, Recorder; Trustees Black, Rea and Roe. The minutes of the regular meeting held Oct. 31, were read and approved. The following bills were read and referred to the Committee on Finance

and Claims: GENERAL FUND. H. N. Hathaway, services and sundries. \$32 16 C. H. Rea, leather, &c., for fire engine. 2 25 Jas. Fuller, 31 cords of 2-foot wood... 4 88 II. N. Mowrey, repairing hose.cart.... HIGHWAY FUND.

John Weisgerber, 4 545 ft. lumber... 53 94 Rough Bros., hardware, &c.... 6 70 George Churchill, nails, &c 7 15 B. T. Morley, repairing plow...... 3 50 H. N. Mowrey, blacksmitking..... H. N. Hathaway, paid for street work. 1 20 Drayman Wood, draying. 1 30 Chas. Rundle, 6 Stephen Griffith, team and day work .. 7 10 J B. Fuller, 3 4 days' team work A. Stevens, 5 9-10 L. W. Hodge, 2 9 10 " Henry Hobart, 9-10 " Geo. Richerson, 4 1 50 H. Johnson, 1 1 00 A C. Day, # Black & Willard, 1 J. M. Russell, 1 4-10 " Mr. Labo, 1 9-10 days' labor.

Thos. Stevens, 3 4 10 " Dan. Clark, 1 Jan. Susan, 11 S. Moore, 3 4-10 Frank Harman, 1 1-10 " F. M. Webster, 1 Robt. Covell, & Geo. Fowler, 4110 CEMETERY FUND.

H. N. Mowery, repairing dray & plow 125 The committee on Finance and Claims being absent, the President anpointed Trustee Roe to examine the above bills. Moved by Mr. Roe, supported by Mr. Rea, that the State Commissioner be ordered to build and repair the side-

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walks, as may be necessary, on both sides of Front street. Motion adopted. Mr. Roe, as a special committee, reported the bills of H. N. Hathaway, C. H. Rea, Jas. Fuller, John Weisgerber, Rough Bros., Geo. Churchill, B. T. Morley, Drayman Wood, Geo. Bird, Thos. Lord, Chas. Rundell and H. N. Mowrey, as correct, recomending their allowance, but declined to report on the balance of the bills. Mr. Johnson appeared and took his

Moyed by Mr. Johnson, supported by Mr. Black, that the bills reported correct by Mr. Roe, be allowed, and the Recorder directed to draw the proper orders for their payments. Mo-Moved by Mr. Roe, supported by Mr. Black, that Mr. Johnson be appointed to examine the balance of the bills pre-

sented at this meeting. Motion adopt-Mr. Johnson, having examined the bills referred to him, reported the same correct, recommending their allowance.

Moved by Mr. Rea, supported by Mr. Black, that the bills reported correct by Mr. Johnson be allowed, and the Recorder directed to draw the proper orders for their payment. Motion adopted.

Moved by Mr. Roe, supported by Mr. Black, that the President, Recorder and Village Attorney be instructed to take the steps necessary to procure another crossing over the M.C.R.R. tracks. Motion adopted. Moved by Mr. Roe, supported by Mr. Johnson, that the President and Recorder be empowered to act for the Common Council in the Ashcraft law suit, and draw such sums from the

to carry on the same: Motion adopted. Moved by Mr. Black, supported by Mr. Johnson, that the Common Coun cil adjourn. Adopted. B. D. HARPER, Recorder.

village treasury as may be necessary

Feeble Ladies.

Those languid, tiresome sensations, causing you to feel scarcely able to be on your feet; that coustant drain that is taking from your system all its clasticity; driving the bloom from your cheeks; that continual strain upon your vital forces, rendering you irritable and fretful, can easily be removed by the use of that marvelous remedy: Hop Bitters. Irreglarities and obstructions of your system are relieved at once, while the special cause of pe-

Michigan, ITEMS FROM THREE OAKS. Dec. 1, 1879. Weather changable. Business fair considering the weath-

Mrs. John D. Miller is very sick Has been sick for several months past A boy seven years of age, at Bridgman, Mich., died with diphtheria. His sister, Miss May Holler, is one of the teachers in our school, Charley Volman, who went from

here to North-west Minnesota, has returned. Does not like the country Thinks there will be more of those who went from Three Oaks who will return before spring.

Officer Bommerscheim arrested a young man on Saturday last. Offence charged—assault with an attempt, &c. I will not give names, as all persons are innocent until proven guilty. He was acquitted.

The Thanksgiving dinner at Town Hall, prepared by the young ladies, was a success in every particular. It was a rainy time, nevertheless the house was filled. The tables filled the hall except sitting room around the tables. As fast as the people came in they took their places at the tables which were well arranged with white table-spreads, were well loaded with dishes containing the choicest food and well cooked: Each table had its respective waiters who furnished promptly what was called for. Several toasts were responded to with spirit by a number of gentlemen. Everyone present seemed to enjoy the occasion. I hope we may have such gatherings often.

The talk is that C. C. Pain will start a grocery in the Goit building. About three weeks since Perry Mann arrived at their sons, Daniel Mann, residence at Russell, Kansas, Since that time another Mann has arrived. He or she is now about two weeks old. He or she-oh pardon-it will grow up with the country.

We are still waiting for some one to build a flour mill in this place. Dr. H. J. Churchill and family arrived in town Tuesday. Mr. C. was once a resident of our place. They will stop here for a few days, and then go to their new home in Oregon. Mrs. Churchill's mother, Mrs. Smith, and her sister, Mrs. Baily, live here. Chas. Bradley has been down visiting his parents at Berrien Springs. ITEMIZER.

Locals.

If y u want to make your wife a nice present buy a Very Neat Glass Set. You can find them at BARMORE BROS.

Look for Bargains at the sign of the Red Flag.

See those new goods just arrived MRS. FRAMES'. In Dress Goods we have anything you want, very cheap, at

Women's Beaver Foxed, Flannel Lined Shoes, at WAITE & WOODS.'

Christmas is coming and our large stock of Holiday Goods has come, such as Toilet Sets, Vases, Smoking Sets, Cups and Saucers, and an extensive stock of Toys. BARMORE BROS.

All goods at bottom prices, at GRAHAM'S.

Look in at Mrs. Frames' and see those New Beaver Hats, Ostrich Plumes, Tips and Feathers, of the finest quality.

Highs' Holiday Table will be immense; come in and see it. Turk's Island Salt, at

BARMORE BROS. Subscriptions received for over 500 different Papers and Magazines at Rough Bros'. Hardware. B. F. BEARDSLEY.

Oysters, Oysters, bulk, can, case, stew, or fry, at BARMORE BROS. Dont forget us on Beaver Cloaks or Felt Skirts. They are bargains. HIGHS'.

Buckwheat Flour at BARMORE BRCS. Here we come to trade with High

for goods that are nice. Finest line of Felt Skirts in town GRANGE STORE. Genuine Turkish Island Salt, at S, & W. W. SMITH'S.

HOLIDAY GOODS! At Spencer & Barnes', such as hand baskets, work baskets, willow chairs, camp chairs, camp rockers, castor rockers, gents' easy chairs, all of late designs, will be in their salesroom by Dec. 15. Also 300 nice pannel and scenery pictures. All must be sold. They were bought before the advance of prices.

Don't forget the big stock of Holiday Goods at Highs'. EXTRA copies of the RECORD may always be found at the news depot in the post office room.

The best 2 for a nickel Cigar in town you will find at BARMORE BRO4. Oh! Oh! Oh! That is about those Silk Handkerchiefs at

HIGHS'. The Jamestown Alpacas at Grange are the finest in the market. Do not forget, the place to buy

your presents is at

SPENCER & BARNES'. See those nice hand sleds at Spencer & Barnes', cheap for cash. Economy weather strips or your doors will save many times their cost in fuel. For sale at

FRESH ARRIVAL! NEW GOODS NEW Goods! In fine suitings in Riverside English Worsted, heavy and nobby Cassimeres. Winter caps in all varieties, at Weaver & Co's. Go to Highs' for anything in the

ROUGH BROS.

presents bring many to view and ouv at DODD'S DRUG STORE. A good supply of Rubber goods Trout from Mackinaw each Wed-WAITE & WOODS'.

The fine assortment of Holiday

shape of a Christmas Present.

Silk Handkerchiefs that are beau. tiful, and so nice, are found only at Bradley's, is having a good run. HIGHS.' See them, and you will have them.

goods.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR. Those in search of Fine Holiday Presents will please call upon WEAVER & Co.

A rattler—our 5c table, at HIGHS'.

More of the best Underwear for ladies, at Highs', for 50c Now is the time to buy your Furniture, at Spencer & Barnes'.

Look out for our new stock of Glassware. S. & W. W. SMITH. We now have the best black Cashmere we ever owned, at Highs'.

Save money by buying your whips ROUGH BROS. Waite & Woods have the boss Beaver Boots. Call and see them. One ton of choice pure Buckwheat

flour for sale at GRANGE STORE. Remember Highs' have a large etock of Holiday Goods. A big bargain in all wool Cash-HIGHS'. meres, at Fresh Pan Candies and Butter

Scotch, daily, at BARMORE BROS.

'The "Boom" is nowhere beside the trade at Highs'. Our trade is still increasing on our 50c Tea. BARMORE BROS. At the Grange Store you can buy your coffees, choice fresh roast,

ground as ordered. A store full of New Goods, at T. M. FULTON & Co's.

Broadheads still ahead for price,

style and quality, at HIGHS'. WANTED! 1,000 pounds of Good Butter. T. M. FULTON & Co.

Everything in Fancy Goods, for holiday trade, at HIGHS'.

T. M. FULTON & Co. Cane Seated Chairs newly bottomed at reasonable rates. FRED SCHRAY. Record Building.

1,000 pounds of Dried Apples.

BARMORE BRO'S. found at Don't fail to see Bradley's new display.

The best 50c Chewing Tobacco is

RUBBER COATS at G. W. Noble's. Bradley's, for the nobby photographs.

Buy the Buell Boss Boots, of Noble, every pair warranted. Go dry shod for a year. Rough Brothers have the best asplay of scissors and shears in Ju-

chanan. None keep the Jamestown Alpaca in Buchanan except T. M. Fulton & Co's.

Oysters in every style, at BARMORE BROS'. A novelty in Ladies' Arctics, at

WAITE & WOODS'. Kinyon's 50 cent Tea certainly beats them all. Try it and you will buy no other. SAVE CENTS, DIMES, DOL-

LAS. You will if you buy at T. M. Fulton & Co's. Big drive in Hose at T. M. Fulton's, 10 CENTS PER PAIR.

Ladies Cloaks are cheap, at T. M. Fulton & Co's. Overcoats! Overcoats! A full and complete stock, light and heavy WEAVER & Co. weights, at

Fresh Pan Candies every day, KINYON's. One of the best selected and choice stocks Buck Gloves and Mittens in

When in town call at Kinyon's

and get a good dinner cheap.

Southern Michigan, just received at WEAVER & Co's. Go and see Kinyon's 50 cent Syrup, the very first thing you do. Pocket and table cutlery for the million at Rough Brothers, cheap

and first-class. Oysters in every style, at Kinyon's. Kinyon has Oysters by the Case, Can or Dish at bottom prices.

the goods. Gloves and Mittens at Noble's. Lots of men's tancy Slips at

Waite & Woods'. Call and see them.

\$2,000

The Cheap Chicago Store. See

Wanted on notes and accounts that have long been due. Walk up, pay up, and s.ve cost. C. HAYDEN REA. Trade good at T. M. Fulton & Co.

All the latest novelties in Grocer-Kinyon's. es are kept at DODD'S DRUG STORE. Don't fail-to call at Kinyon's Oyster Parlor for good stews.

Roberts shears and scissors, at

HIGHS'.

Bradley keeps an assortment of Picture Frames of all regular sizes. OLD papers for sale at this office.

ling Coffee now. The best Tobacco, at T. M. Fulton & Co's., only 50 cents... Chew Jackson's Best Sweet Navy Tobacco Now is the time that Rubber Boots are needed. Noble has a

Kinyon has plenty of that shil-

Bradley's new Photos are ahead of them all. All say that Kinyon's Butterscotch, and Caramels are the best

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Don't be fooled. Call at Waite & Woods and see their Two Sole and Tap Boots at \$3.50 and warranted. O. S. Tourje will receive Fresh

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SAUSAGE CUTTING. -- O. S. Tourje has procured a new engine for running his meat chopper, and is now prepared to do sausage cutting to order at reasonable rates.

Rough Brothers' hardware. A large line of Boots, Shoes, Hats and Caps, Clothing and Furnishing goods, to be closed out at

G. W. Noble's for cash. A New Method in Medicine. By this new method every sick person can get a package of the dry vege-table compound, Kidney-Wort, and prepare for themselves six quarts of medicine. It is a specific cure for Kid-

ney Diseases, Liver Complaint, Constipation and Piles, and a grand tonic A Splendid Dairy

is one that yields its owner a good profit through the whole season. But he must supply the cows with what they need in order for them to be able to keep up their product. When their butter gets light in color he must make it "gilt edged" by using Wells, Richardson & Co's Perfected Butter Color. It gives the golden color of June, and adds five cents per pound to the value

of the butter. \$500 REWARD!

WE will pay the above reward for anv case of Liver Comelaint, Osspepsia, Sick Headache, Indigestion, Constination or Costiveness we cannot cure with West's Vegetable Liver Pills, when the directions are strictly complied with. They are purely Vegetable and never fail to give satisfaction Sugar Coated. Large boxes containing 30 Pills, 25 cents. For sale by all Druggists. Beware of counterfeits and imitations. The genuine manufactured only by JOHN C. WEST & CO., "The Pill Makers," 181 & 183 W. Madison St., Chicago. Free trial package sent by mail pre-paid on receipt of

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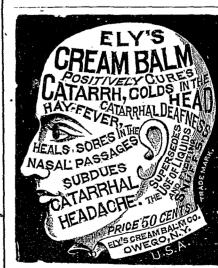
To those who want to bny the

White Sewing Machine THIS MONTH.

The probability is that Sewing Machines will advance in price the first of the year.

I have a few second-hand

Wilson, Victor and Wheeler & Wilson Machines. For sale, or trade for wood, cheap. J. W. BEISTLE. Buchanan, Dec. 3, 1879.



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We the undersigned, residents of Elizabeth, N.
J., being well acquainted with the merits of ELY'S
CREAM BALM, a specific for Catarrh and Hay
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Robert W. Townley, Mayor.
E. H. Sherwood, National State Bank.
Joseph McGuire, National State Bank.
Geo. S. Davis, 1st National Bank.
John S. Higbie, National Shoe and Leather Bank,
271 Broadway, New York.
Henry C. Milligan, Prest. Newark Stamping Co.
Henry Cook, Publisher Elizabeth Herald.
Nathanicl Ellis, Counsellor at Law, 145 Broadway, New York.
Wm. T. Carr, Presbyterian Pastor.
E. L. Button, Merchant and many others.
For sale in Buchanan by F. A. White and W. A.
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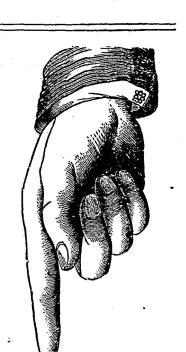
Commissioners' Notice. Commissioners' Notice.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, ss. Probate Courtof said County.—Estate of Charles Roc, deceased. The undersigned having been appointed by the Judge of Probate of said County, Commissioners on Claims in the matter of said estate; and six months from the 28th day of October, A. D. 1879, having been allowed by said Judge of Probate to all persons holding claims against said estate, in which to present their claims to us for examination and adjustment: Notice is hereby given, that we will meet on Thursday, the 4th day of December, A. D. 1879, and on Wednesday, the 28th day of April, A. D. 1880, at nine o'clock A. M. of each day, at the office of D. E. Hinman in the Village of Buchanan, in said County, to receive and examine such claims.

DAVID E. HINMAN, HOWELL STONG, JAMES K. WOODS,

Send \$1,50 for the RECORD one year.

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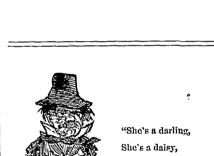
Bargains!

& Co's. See that fine display of stoves at

THEY KEEP A

-AND-

Sell Cheap.



Such an educa tion has my Mary Ann.

She's a dumpling,

She's a lamb;

On the plan-a

You should hear her play

That song was writ about a girl 'at I know. Her mother was able to save all the money it tack to give her all them accomplishments, by buyin' her Groceries of

Which the same is on FRONT STREET. Ye see they're big dealers; buy things at fust hands, an' git em very low for eash, wich enables em to sell at

Bottom Prices. They're allus keepin' large supplies of

GROCERIES, Teas, Coffees, Spices, Lamps, Glassware,

An' in fac 'bout everything ye ken think of in that line. An' besides they keep the mos' pop-ular

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To Destroy Ants.—A German publication says carbolic acid and water will drive ants away from any grounds -100 parts of water to one of carbolic acid. Mix in a tub and stir repeatedly for 24 hours, taking off the seam that rises to the top.

Cucumber Catsup,—Twelve full grown pared cucumbers and leave them on a sieve while the onions are being grated; put together in a large bowl and thoroughly mix; add salt, spices, must and turmeric to taste; also horse-radish. Use vinegar to thin enough to bottle.

Fried Squash.—Pare the squashes, and cut them into thinnish pieces; make a thin hatter of flour and water dip them into it, and sprinkle with salt and pepper after you lay them in the hot butter or lard; fry brown in a rather quick oven, or on the top of the stove; then turn, and brown them

on the other side. Cure for Poisoning by Poison Ivy.

—The Bobcaygeon Independent says the following remedy has been found unfailing: Put 10 to 20 drops of bromine in one ounce of olive oil orglycerine and apply three or four times a day, especially on going to bed. The bromine is volatile, so only a small quantity should be made.

Repairing Walls.—Small holes in white walls can be repaired without sending for the mason. Equal parts of plaster of Pa is and white sandsuch as is used in most families for scouring purposes—mixed with water to a paste, applied immediately, and smoothed with a knife or flat piece of wood, will make the broken place as good as new. As the mixture hardens very quickly, it is best to prepare but a small quantity at a time.

Baron Brisse's Rice Pudding.-Wash a teacupful of rice, and boil it in as little milk and water, mixed half and half, as will swell it soft. When cooked, add six eggs (leaving out the whites of four), well beaten, three tablespoonsful of butter, and a little salt. Butter a tin baking mould: sprinkle over it crumbs of bread thickly .-Whip the four whitesof egg left from the yolks to a stiff froth, and stir them in the last minute. Pour into the mould and bake for half an hour .--Then turn out on a dish and serve as it it were a loaf of cake.

Little Ladies' Tart.—Sift half a pound of flour, and beat to a froth three eggs: add to it three tablespoonsful of powdered sugar. Then take a quarter of a pound of butter, and mix all together, as for puff paste. Roll it and fold it alternately for twenty minutes; then roll it out into a circle a quarter of an inch in thickness; trim the outside edge into an exact circle; erimp the outer edge and slip a tin plate under it, and bake in a brisk oven. When well browned, take it out, and when cool, spread it over with raspberry or strawberry jam. put on in rows. Arranged in this way it is a tempting dish for a children's

How Mushrooms Grow. Mr. Julius A. Palmer, Jr., writes to the Boston Transcript: "A few years igo the banks of the lot opposite the Brunswick Hotel, in this city, were sodded and the land leveled to the present grade. As the pick of the workman broke up the soil, a white substance ran through every piece. Starting with large branches, it divided and subdivided like the veins on the back of the hand. The smell was very strong, quickly noticed on the opposite side of the way. This subterranean white vein-for it had that appearance—was nothing but the hidden part of the Corprinus comatus, a mushroom freely eaten now, although twenty years ago thought to be poisonous. The common name of this substance is spawn. Just as a cutting of the grape-vine placed in conditions tavorable to growth will shoot, put torth branches, and bear fruit, so a part of this coprinus vine transplanted will continue to ramify and in time show the result in the form of mushrooms. The whole earth beneath your feet, on a country walk, is alive with vegetation to a great depth. This vegetation is just as real, and the various -vines-or, in other words, the thousand varieties of mushroom spawn -are just as distinct as the hop vine and the woodbine, the ivy and the virgins bower that twine their tendrils above your head. Just where grew this year a peculiar kind of toadstool there, next year, and so on for successive harvests, will you find the same plant. There is no more mystery about its appearance than in the growth of the chestnut on the tree that shades it. Rapidity of growth is not near as general as it is thought to be. The common mushroom and many others form for days just below the soil. A heavy dew or an evening shower straightens the stem of the fungus and expands its top. It breaks the earth in the night, and the gatherer is able to find in the . morning the white buttons where he could see nothing the day before. So, popular error has made mushroom growth proverbial for a superficiality which by the fungi, at least, is undeserved. Further, the various varieties of toadstools succeed each other in rotation just as the bloodroot and anemones of spring are followed by the roses of summer and the cardinal or gentian of fall. These are not theories that are here advanced; they are the results of several years' careful watching of the growill of this order of plants. On the very spots where, in 1874, I gathered musbrooms, there, in 1879, I find the identical variety, so that the lover of fungus may have his regular harvest with all the certainty of the farmer who looks for the return of his wheat crop or the results of his cranberry culture. With just that degree of certainty, no more and no less, for, as certain years are favorable to the production of certain fruits, as the potato crop sometimes fails and the apple orchard is barren, so the mushroom spawn, usually producing abundantly its expected variety, may pass a year, or even, under difficulties, become extinct. The blight which may visit all

· The Juice of the Tomato Plant as an

life, animal or vegetable, does not fail

to fall at times upon my humble

friends.

Insecticide. A writer in the Deutsche Zeitung states that he last year had an opportunity of trying a remedy for destroying green fly and other insects which infest plants. It was not his own discovery, but he found it among other recipes in some provincial paper. The stems and leaves of the tomato are well boiled in water, and when the liquor is cold it is syringed over plants attacked by insects. It at once destroys black or green fly, caterpillars, etc.; and it leaves behind a peculiar odor which prevents insects from coming again for a long time. The author states that he found this remedy more effectual than fumigating, washing, etc. Through neglect a house of camellias had become almost hopelessly infested with black lice, but two syringings with tomato plant decoction thoroughly cleaned them—Gardeners

One of the Russian Grand Dukes is married to a German girl of humble birth. "Society" at Moscow snubbed her. So the Grand Duke caused a hotel where many ladies of "society" were accustomed to sup with admirers to be surrounded by the police. The ladies were called upon to give their names and their addresses, and then their husbands were sent for to identify them.

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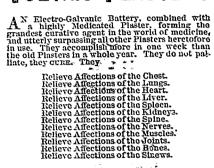
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JOHN L. DENN, Mortgagee.

Buchanan, October 1, 1879.

D. E. Hinman Att'v for Mortgagee.

Estate of Caroline Hildreth, Dec'd. TATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, st. At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate office, in the village of Berrien Springs, on Monday, the 17th day of November, in the year one thousand eight hundred and secondary in the Present, ALEXANDER B. LEEDS, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Caroline Hildreth, In the matter of the estate of Caroline Hildreth, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Luther B. Wildreth, praying that a certain instrument now on file in this Court, purporting to be the last will, and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to himself, the executor ranged in said will not to some other, said the programed in said will not to some other, said the programed in said will not to some other.

named in said will, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the fifteenth day of December-next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said deceased, and all other persons interested in said court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the village of Berrien Springs, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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London Times. Th idea of subjecting this remarkable plant to the action of anæsthetics was natural, and several experiments of the kind are recorded, the plant having been placed in vapors of ether or chloroform. Recently, M. Arloing has made some interesting observations of the effects of chlora, chloroform, and ether presented for absorption at the roots. The pots were sprinkled with aqueous solutions of these substances, then covered with care to prevent escape of the vapors. After absorption of chloroform or ether, one notes primary and secondary effects; the former are phenomena of excitation similar to those arising from mechanical irritation, and comparable to those in animals when anesthetized. They occur succesively from the bottom to the top of the stem. In thirty to sixty minutes the common petioles (or leaf-stems) straighten and the leaflets separate, beginning from the top of the stem; but the plant is now found to have lost its sensibility. The secondary effects consist of elimination of the anæsthetic. The sensibility often does not return for one and a-half or two hours. Chloral does not act anæsthetically on the sensitive plant.— These observations affording M. Arloing an opportunity of ascertaining velocity of liquids in the stem and branches of plants under strictly physiological conditions whereas past experiments on the subject have been made with withered or mutilated plants. If the leaves are in good state, the com-mon petioles bend down suddenly and successively from below upwards in the plant as the absorbed chloroform reaches them. Hence, knowing the dimensions of the plant, the velocity of the chloroformized water in the stem and primary petioles can be easily calculated. Within the stem, the relocity is modified by the state of the tissues and foliage, the temperature, &c.; it was found, in different cases, at the rate of 0.90 metres, 2.22 metres, 2.40 metres, and 5.76 metres per hour. The velocity increases from the base to the top of the stem in the ratio of 1 to 1.25 or 1.50, and it is one and a half times or twice as great in the petioles as in the stem. The time of ab-

sorption by the roots was found to

vary from two to six and a half min-

utes.

Business Integrity. A false business is quite as abominable now as it was when the law was pronounced that "Just balances, just weights, and a just ephah and a just line shall ye have." Semi-occasionally some grumbler publishes a paragraph which goes the rounds, deploring the laxity of present commercial morals and the degeneracy of modern mer-chants. An impartial comparison of the business methods of to-day with those of years (or even centuries) ago will lead to the conclusion that there is as lively a spirit of practical honor among our merchants as has been exhibited in the commerce of any age. Vast as are some of our speculative enterprises, they are built on a more tangible merit than were many which have preceded them in former genera-

By Way of Illustration.

Washington (N. C.) Herald. "The poor white" is poor-very poor. The small farmers of the North cannot compare with them in absolute

estitution of m "Doctor," said one of them who had slowly recovered consciousness after being terribly injured by an exploding grindstone: "Doctor, I reckon I am pretty badly broke up, ain't I?"

"Yes, my man; you are hurt just about as badly, to stand a chance of recovery, as any man I ever saw." "That's so—that's so. Waal, Doctor, do you know that ez poor ez I am. and ez much ez I need money, I would not a hed this happen to me fer-fer

Cabul.

Cabul, the Capital of Afghanistan, where the massacre of Cavagnari and the English Embassy took place, is not a city whose palaces and public institutions would allure the sightseer to any lengtened stay in its vicinity, for without exception a more neglected or tumbled-down collection of houses, without the slightest pretense to sanitary arrangements, can hardly be found in Asia. The only shops of any interest are the leather and iron workers, and others dealing in skins and stuffs peculiar to Cabul. The fruit stalls in the autumn are crammed from the ground to the roof with every kind of both ripe and raw fruits.

When to Cut Sorghum.

As good a time to cut sorghum as any is before it is entirely ripe. After you have cut it and the tops cut off—which should be cut off at about the upper joint-tie the cane in small bundles, for convenience in handling; take it to your barn-or any place will do where it will not get wet-and cross-pile it to dry, and if the weather is not too warm it can lie there several weeks before it will sour. The object in drying it is to get as much of the green juice out of it as possible. The green juice is in parts of the leaves left on after being stripped, and in the bark. If you press the cane as soon as cut the juice will have an ugly green color. If you let it lie several weeks the juice when first pressed will be almost white.

According to the last census the population of Greece, which in 1870 was only 1,475,894, amounts now to 1.679,755. The population of Athens has increased in the same period from 48,000, to 70,000, and that of the Piræus from 11,000 to double. By counting the Greek subjects living abroad a total of about 2,000,000 of population would be arrived at. In 1838, when the first census was taken, the population of Greece was about \$50,000, without counting the inhabitants of the Ionian Islands. The number of deputies, now 190, will have to be increased to 204, as the electoral law gives one deputy to every 10,000 inhabitants.

The Mexican Volcano of Orizaba, 7,300 feet above the sea level, has been scended by M. Athalza, a resident in Puebla. Thirteen persons accompanied him, one of whom died at the top from rarefaction of the air and another a few days afterward from erysipelas caused by the reflection of the sun on the snow, 7,000 steps nad to be cut in the snow to gain the summit, and: the expedition occupied four days, one of which was a blank owing to rain and snow. Baron Muller, in 1859, first made the ascent, and he has had very iew successors.

The slowness of the Paris street-car would make a New Yorker mad with impatience. It stops at the barriers to be searched for contraband goods. It takes three men five minutes to change horses, while the driver bosses the job from his elevated perch. Four and five cars will stand in a row, all full outside and in, and one hour must elapse before the last one starts. No crowd, press, or hurry seems ever to induce the company to put on extra vehicles or shorten the regular intervals of starting.

Sir Rowland Hill is buried in the little chapel of St. Paul's, at the foot of the great statue by Chantrey of Watt. The finest monument in this chapel is that of Sir Giles Danberry and his dame, dating back to 1507. In the same chapel are the altar tomb of Lord Bourchier, standard bearer to Henry V. at the battle of Agincourt, and stately monument to Lord Brom-ley, Lord Chancellor in the time of Elizabeth, Archbishop Usher's grave

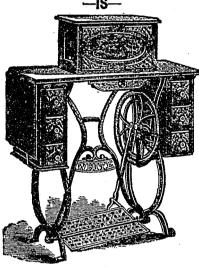
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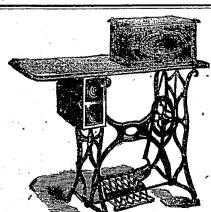
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About 650,000,000 pounds of butter are made in this country annually, and its value is estimated at \$70,000,000. About 650,000,000 pounds of butter

is compounded of richer elements.-Bovee. A Syracuse man, says the Sunday Times, of that city, thinks his wife a righteous woman because she is

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never forsaken—by her mother. "Whoso findeth a wife findeth a good thing," says Solomon. If all accounts may be believed, he practiced what he preached.—American Punch.

France, Germany, Italy, Austria, and Switzerland have agreed that their embassies and consulates send home indigent persons of their respective nationalities at half the ordinary railway fare.

An Irish grrl who was in the habit

of soaping the dirty clothes before putting them to soak, on being told by her mistress to get a dried codfish and put it to soak for dinner, she did so, after rubbing it pretty smartly with Each man and woman was sent into the world not to be like somebody else but to do his own work and bear

his own burden, precisely the one work which God has given him, and which can never be given to or done by any other. First Boy—"Where yer bin, Billy?"
Second Boy—"Bin fishin?" First Boy
—"Ketch anythin'?" with an anxious expression on his face. Far-seeing Second Boy—"No. But I expect ter

There are said to be fully 200,000 beggars tramping about the German Empire, and they are estimated to get alms not less than \$18,000,000 annually in money, without considering the value of food and clothing given

when I git in the house."-New York

Some caverns of prehistoric times have been discovered near Stramberg, in Moravia. The objects which they contained are said to prove, beyond a doubt, that these caverns were inhabited by man in the most remote ages, contemporaneously with the mammoth and cave bear.

They were speaking of a young doc-

tor, in fashion, before an old member

of the profession, and whom they

were praising greatly. "In fine, he knows everything," said one of the admirers of the young doctor. "Yes; even a little medicine," said the old professor .-- Paris Paner. Schoolmaster-"How dare you tell me such a lie, sir? I will give you a sounder thrashing than you ever had in your life." Boy-I did not tell a lie, sir." Schoolmaster-"What do

minating enlargement of elongated veracity." [Escapes his thrashing.]— Exchange.
In England, before an ill-assorted couple are allowed a divorce, every sort of monstrosity has to be proved. A woman who has been knocked down once by her husband is sent back to live with him, in order that she may qualify for a divorce by being knocked down again or kicked.

you call it, then?" Boy-"Only a ful-

M. Kidiger, a Spiritualist summoned before a St. Petersburg magistrate a sew days ago M. Faustini, an Italian conjuror, ou the charge of falsely representing himself as a medium. The magistrate, without entering into the merits of the case, dismissed it, on the grounds that the law recognizes no difference between spiritualism and

conjuring.

Prof. Klinkerfues, the Director of the Observatory at Gottengin, has patented a new telegraphic invention by which it is said to be possible to send as many as eight messages simultancously along the same wire. A portion of the invention is an apparatus which simultaneously writes downall the messages as they arrive at the station to which they are addressed. At a legal investigation of a liquor

seizure case, the judge asked an un-willing witness: "What was in the barrel that you had?" "Well, your honor," replied the witness, "it was marked 'whisky' on one end of the barrel and 'Pat Duffy' on the other end -so that I can't say whether it was whisky or Pat Duffy was in the barrel, being as I am on my oath." There is a miniature villain in town. He is a red-headed small boy. The

other day he had just the wind he wanted, and, calling the near-sighted boy over the way, he tempted him in-to the yard, edged behind him, dexterously removed and secreted his head gear; and then had the fun of seeing him chase a black hen all around thinking she was his cap .-Yonker's Gazette. At the French Bazaar in the Albert Hall, London, a lady was dispensing

Hall, London, a lady was dispensing tea. A solemn gentleman approached and asked the price of a cup. "One shilling," replied the lady, and he put down a shilling. Before handing him the cup the lady raised it to her lips and observed that the price was now a sovereign. The solemn gentleman gravely replaced his shilling with a sovereign and said: "Be good enough to give me a clean cup." A party of Irishmen went to a clothing store to buy a suit of clothing in which to bury a dead comrade. All varieties of garments were examined and discussed by the mourning friends

but none could be decided upon until

one of the party held up a light thin suit, saying, "Begorra, let's take this, b'ys; it's thin an' cool, and poor Pat will find it mighty comfortable The Chinaman who is to teach Chinese at Harvard College for three years is to receive \$200 a month. Professors to teach the English language can be obtained for as low as \$1,000 a year. It would therefore appear that the Chinese language is worth more to the youth of America than their own. And perhaps it is, if a young man wants to embark in the business of decorating tea boxes or manufacturing Chinese fire crackers

in this country,—Norr. Herald. A Scotchman ought to know what whisky is good for; and here is what Dr. Guthrie once said, "Whisky is good in its own place. There is nothing like whisky in this world for preserving a man when he is dead. But it is one of the worst things in the world for preserving a man when he is living. If you want to keep a dead man put him into whisky; if you want to kill a living man put whisky

On the day Cardina, Manning assisted at the baptism in London of the Duke of Norfolk's son and heir, he celebrated mass and breakfasted at early morn in Liverpool, reached Norfolk House, St. James' Square, by 2 o'clock paid a visit to the Archiepiscopal residence at 4 P. M., caught the Liverpool express by 6 P. M., and addressed a large meeting of Roman Catholics on temperance in St. George's Hall, at 10 the same evening. This is ecclesiastical activity for one over seventy.

Tobacco has some distinguished female devotees in Europe. Emily Faithful, it is declared, smokes likes a Michigan tugboat; the Duchess of Edinburgh fakes a quiet puff now and then, and the Princess of Wales keeps a little cigarette case which she hides profoundly from the smoke abhorring nose of her royal mother-in-law, while the list might be extended by naming Elizabeth Thompson, the artist, Ma-dame Ratazzi, of Italy, and others. SEND \$150 FOR THE RECORD 1 YEAR.

