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Too Late.

Too late to hold out eager hands to me, Too late to point the finger of blame, Too late to urge for ten times more, Too late to urge for ten times more.

For time hath brought the patience that defies, Defies, because 't has harrowed hearts to stone, And robs youth of its beauty and its grace, And so, O once-beloved! untouched, un-moved, I sadly turn away my tearless face.

I loved you once? Ah, yes! God knows how long, I loved you with wild passion and grand pain.

With all my woman's soul; and you were moved No more than at some broken sweet of air, Half-tender, half-patetic, that you'd hear A barefoot orphan singing in the street, And sing a coon's "wonder" hymn.

Then, with a smiling eye some friend to greet, O God! there was no higher love than mine— But when I caught your light, indifferent glance, It shrouded down into the dust with sighs, And when you smiled into a fairer face, It collected like a housewife's rags, Low in my heart, and writhed and tashed sometimes, Gnawing and gnawing, only half-awake.

Could I but strangle it with wild regret, 'T was while it tormented me and made me mad? And now you hold out pleading arms to me, And I can only sigh, pained and sad, Too late, O once-beloved! your kisses fall, Too late you clasp me in your warm embrace, Too late to let me know, and un-moved, I sadly turn away my tearless face.

TOBIAS JONES' MATCH-MAKING.

"I say," said Tobias Jones, bringing down his fist on the dinner table with an emphasis that caused the bottles in Mrs. Tobias's new center to rattle together ominously, "I say, wife, I have it now!"

"Have what?" asked Mrs. Tobias. "Why, an idea, a splendid idea—that is to say, a plan. You will surely get an invitation to a wedding, Belinda, before the winter is ended, or my name is not 'Tobias Jones'!"

"What? who? where?" asked Mrs. Jones. "I am thankful something is going to happen; I've stayed at home until I'm tired, and my clothes are getting sort of fashion."

"If wearing good clothes keeps them in fashion you might wear them here at home," suggested her husband.

"That's just the way with you men," said Mrs. Jones. "You expect us to wear our best clothes at all times and in all places, and yet at all times look new and fresh. But who is going to be married?"

"Well, you see, it ain't a settled fact, but it might as well be for 'Squire Chase and Widow Hooker should happen to meet, it's my opinion they will make a very advantageous match. I added as he noticed his wife's lengthened countenance, 'I think you had better send for them both to come here to tea to-morrow night. We have no children you know, and you ought to have things in apple-pie order all the time.'

"Children?" exclaimed Mrs. Tobias. "You talk as if folks who haven't children don't have anything to do. For my part, I think I work full as hard and have full as much troubles as any of my neighbors who have children. However, I don't care how many you invite to tea—I'll have enough for them to eat; but don't let this 'Squire Chase' match for 'Squire Chase for I know you won't."

"Well," said Tobias, "you take Dobbin and drive over and get the widow, and I'll take care that the 'Squire' has all right; and, mind you, Belinda, if they are to be married before the winter is over, I will give you a new dress; and, if they are, you shall buy a pound of tobacco."

"Agreed," said Mrs. Jones, "provided she brings along the money." Just at sunset 'Squire Chase was reaping in the field near the road when, happening to look up he saw his friend Jones leaning over the fence.

"Good evening, Jones. I just called over to say that my wife is going to have company to tea to-morrow night, and she waits you to come over and make one of us."

"Much obliged, neighbor, but I don't know about it. I've got to reap this field to-morrow. If I get done in season perhaps I'll come, but don't look for me. Who are you going to have—any strangers?"

"Well, yes, 'Widow' Hooker is a stranger to you; I suppose, though my wife has known her for years, and she is a sight by her. She lives over to the north part of the town, I presume you have heard of her often."

"Yes, I have heard of her, sure," said the 'Squire. "I suppose she's the woman who owns the property in the place called the Ox-bow, and manages it all by herself."

"Right," said Jones, and thinking to make matters better, he added, "I know you would like her, 'Squire, for most everybody does."

"I don't much admire women folks who try to take the place that belongs by right to the man," said the 'Squire. "Here, Silas," he called to his youngest son, who had just returned from the pasture with the cows, "did you see the brindle ox to run off?"

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A Broadway, N. Y., store rents for \$60,000 per year.

One Sabbath school in Cincinnati has 4,290 regular scholars.

To-day is the time in which Edison is to make a public exhibition of his electric light in New York City.

Smallpox is prevalent in the District of Columbia, there being thirteen cases in the District. It is first-class company for Congressmen.

16,000,000 hundred weights of wheat has been exported from this country to France from August to the last of November.

An attempt was recently made to steal General Grant's Arabian horses, with the intention of holding them for a ransom. The two fellows were arrested and the scheme proved a failure.

For some unaccountable reason the Democratic roosters do not appear to crow very lustily over the Maine "vic-tory" this time. Is this not an acknowl-edgment of their opinion of the fraud?

Gas stock has taken a general tumble since the announcement of Edison's success with his electric light. Should the appearance continue as favorable as at present, the bottom will drop out of the gas business and let the whole thing through.

No Englishman has died in many a year who has received more extensive public eulogy than has Calcutt, for fifty years hangman of Great Britain, whose death was announced a few days since.

The Spanish Government has passed a law abolishing slavery in Cuba, but puts off the time for the law to take effect to 1880, and then establishes va-grant laws similar to those in some of the Southern States that are as much worse than slavery itself as can well be imagined.

Atlanta, Georgia, contains an 18 year old negro who, by placing his right hand over his right ear, makes a Scottish bag-pipe of his head and plays all kinds of airs that can be whistled, in perfect imitation of that ancient instrument.

Senator Voorhes is receiving con-demnation of the Southern Democrats for investigating into the reasons for the exodus of the negroes from that section. They don't court investiga-tion in that direction worth a cent.

The engagement of rooms for lodg-ing during the National Republican Convention is being attended to al-ready, and the delegate who waits until he is appointed will be apt to sleep in a dry goods box on the sidewalk, or try it standing.

The Inter Ocean gets this very per-tinent remark on merry days: "Don't go off on your ear" because it is Christmas. There is a wonderful difference between "A merry Chris-tmas" and "A drunk Christmas." To say a man makes an ass of himself who gets tight upon every joyous occasion is doing great injustice to the donkey."

Governor William A. Howard, of Dakota, one of Michigan's famed sons, is in a critical condition, from an at-tack of neuralgia of the heart. This is his second attack within a short time, and it is feared will prove fatal.

Railroad men seem to be pleased with the experiment of cheap excu-sion rates for passenger traffic as a profitable one, owing to the fact that two-thirds of the people who travel on excursions would never leave home if they were obliged to pay full fare.

A \$2,500,000 fire occurred in Boston last Friday night, destroying the pub-lishing establishment of Houghton, Osgood & Co., publishers of the Atlantic Monthly, and other extensive estab-lishments. The fire originated in the second story of the paper house of Rice, Randall & Co.

At a meeting in Lewiston, Maine, Saturday, Governor Garcelon made a speech in defence of his action in counting and recording the election returns, and afterwards his name was mentioned as a suitable candidate for President on the Democratic ticket. The mention of his name in this con-nection was received with cheers.

A terrible train disaster occurred near Dundee, Scotland, Monday morn-ing. As the train from Edinburgh was crossing the great bridge of Tay the bridge gave way and precipitated the entire train into the Frith, falling a distance of 88 feet to the water, and drowning all on board. The loss of life is variously estimated at from 75 to 315 persons. The bridge was about two miles in length, and over half a mile of the central portion is gone.

Mr. Morrill, chairman of the Republi-can State Committee, has addressed the Governor of Maine, asking him to refer the questionable points in the election returns of that state to the supreme court. The Governor has signified his willingness to submit such points as Mr. Morrill may designate, and the prospect is that the supreme court will have an opportunity to per-form the duties of the second electoral commission. One very important ef-fect of such a decision will be to quiet the excitement that exists throughout the state.

The Adrian authorities have been examining public buildings, as the law directs, and the Times says: "All the church buildings, except the new Ger-man catholic church, were found to be unsafe, the doors opening toward the inside instead of out. The north branch school building and the fear of the central school building were found de-fective in the same respect."

THE MAINE QUESTION.

The political situation in Maine is becoming one of the exciting topics of discussion, especially that State, the discussion taking the form of public indignation meetings in nearly every town in the State. A fair insight into the steel may be gleaned from the fol-lowing letter on the subject:

AGUSTA, Me., Dec. 29, 1879. E. D. Haley, Esq., Gardiner, Me. MY DEAR SIR:—Thanks for your kind note. I did not give you any answer to the Gardner meeting were it not that I think the chief value in all such demonstrations lies in the fact of their being the voluntary, irrepressible ex-pression of an immunity that speaks. I have given my views on the matter to my fellow-townsmen, and I shall say nothing elsewhere. If the people of every town do not feel that their duty calls them to protest against the out-rage committed by Governor Garcelon and his council, then it is idle to urge them by invitation, or to stimulate them by an appeal.

Town government is the bulwark of New England's liberty, and it is the sanctity of town government that has been outraged, the rights of town gov-ernments that have been destroyed. Thirty-seven members of the legisla-ture, fairly and indisputably elected, have been counted out, and in not one single instance did the governor and council offer a hearing to the people's elect, whom they had determined to suppress. The date does not appear, but I have given my views on the matter to my fellow-townsmen, and I shall say nothing elsewhere. If the people of every town do not feel that their duty calls them to protest against the out-rage committed by Governor Garcelon and his council, then it is idle to urge them by invitation, or to stimulate them by an appeal.

The treasurer of Oakland county re-ports 67 persons doing a saloon busi-ness in that county, the past year. The Christmas tree at the asylum in Kalamazoo contained over 1,000 pres-ents for the inmates, from all parts of the State. The Kalamazoo Telegraph reports that the Gale manufacturing company of Albion is about to remove its works to Grand Crossing, near Chicago. This is not a very flattering prospect for Albion.

One of the gravest charges brought against George III, by our revolution-ary ancestors was that he had refused them the right to choose representa-tives to their local legislature; but his majesty was informed in the immortal declaration that the legislative powers of a free people "are incapable of anni-hilation." If Gov. Garcelon and his council had, in imitation of George III, refused us the right to choose a legislature the outrage would not have been half so grievous as that which they are now attempting to inflict up-on the people of Maine. They have gone far beyond George III, for they have refused to grant certificates of election to those who were chosen by the people, and not stopping even at that point, they declare that we must submit to and accept a legislature whose members they specifically and personally rejected. Mr. Jefferson's recital of all the grievances that led to the overthrow of the British power in the thirteen colonies presented none that were so galling and intolerable as those which Gov. Garcelon and his council are now seeking to fasten on the people of Maine. Let it be special-ly remembered that Gov. Garcelon and his council do not even claim that they have knowledge of a single illegal vote in any one of the numerous towns whose returns they have rejected. They do not claim to show that any vote was cast without being counted, or counted without being cast, or that the people anywhere voted differently from the returns.

They only claim that certain returns are defective on technical points, narrow and immaterial in themselves, and easily corrected under the laws of the State; and they claim the right to set aside and disobey those laws. They hold towns accountable for not complying with the strictest letter and strict execution of one statute, and then defiantly proclaim their right to nullify the same statute by their book on the same subjects. In other words, they claim that the statute regu-lating the duty of town officers shall be fulfilled to the uttermost and minutest points, while the statutes prescri-bing the duty of the governor and coun-cil may be set aside by a sort of plenary power of dispensation extended to them alone.

REPUBLICAN GOVERNMENT IMPERILED. It has taken centuries to educate the Anglo Saxon people to a majority of one, and the moment we are to submit and attempt to over-throw popular elections on any pretext whatever, Republican government is imperiled if not lost. The nations of Latin origin have never succeeded in not being able to maintain the repub-lic because the party beaten at the polls would resort to the sword; but terrible and calamitous as this resource has been in the hands of tyrants, it is during that places it high above the despicable measure of cheating the people by a false count made by the men who are solemnly sworn to per-form that duty faithfully, impartially and honestly. Maine has never been blessed with an honest govern-ment, no matter which political party was in power; and when the people decreed a change the state administra-tion has been in the habit of declaring that places it high above the despicable measure of cheating the people by a false count made by the men who are solemnly sworn to per-form that duty faithfully, impartially and honestly. Maine has never been blessed with an honest govern-ment, no matter which political party was in power; and when the people decreed a change the state administra-tion has been in the habit of declaring that places it high above the despicable measure of cheating the people by a false count made by the men who are solemnly sworn to per-form that duty faithfully, impartially and honestly.

At a meeting in Lewiston, Maine, Saturday, Governor Garcelon made a speech in defence of his action in counting and recording the election returns, and afterwards his name was mentioned as a suitable candidate for President on the Democratic ticket. The mention of his name in this con-nection was received with cheers.

A terrible train disaster occurred near Dundee, Scotland, Monday morn-ing. As the train from Edinburgh was crossing the great bridge of Tay the bridge gave way and precipitated the entire train into the Frith, falling a distance of 88 feet to the water, and drowning all on board. The loss of life is variously estimated at from 75 to 315 persons. The bridge was about two miles in length, and over half a mile of the central portion is gone.

Mr. Morrill, chairman of the Republi-can State Committee, has addressed the Governor of Maine, asking him to refer the questionable points in the election returns of that state to the supreme court. The Governor has signified his willingness to submit such points as Mr. Morrill may designate, and the prospect is that the supreme court will have an opportunity to per-form the duties of the second electoral commission. One very important ef-fect of such a decision will be to quiet the excitement that exists throughout the state.

STATE ITEMS.

A telephone line is to be established between Ovid and Elsie. Fifteen inches of snow was reported in Allegan county last week. Chaplain McCabe told the Kalamazooans about the Bright Side of Life in Libby Prison, last evening. The electric light is being introduced in the lumber mills of the north part of this State. Barry county agricultural society owns its grounds, is out of debt and has \$200 in the till. Not a bad finan-cial condition. It takes \$38,000,000 of the government funds to pay the annual pensioners of this State, who receive their money through the agency at Detroit.

Henry Duffin, an old resident of De-catur, came deranged on the 22d and attempted to cut his own throat. Does not the man who asks for the return of stolen property through the mails with the promise of "No ques-tions asked," become a participator in the crime in an attempt to screen the criminal? The treasurer of Oakland county re-ports 67 persons doing a saloon busi-ness in that county, the past year. The Christmas tree at the asylum in Kalamazoo contained over 1,000 pres-ents for the inmates, from all parts of the State.

The Kalamazoo Telegraph reports that the Gale manufacturing company of Albion is about to remove its works to Grand Crossing, near Chicago. This is not a very flattering prospect for Albion. Battle Creek has a new phase in the liquor business. A man in that place wears the saloon keepers there against selling liquor to his wife, under pen-alty of the law.

The editor of the Manistee Advocate is the luckiest chap in the business. He received a \$5,000 Christmas pres-ent. A libel suit instituted by Judge McAlvay of that place. Better to be born lucky than rich. The contract for building the first twenty miles of the Macina and Mar-quette railroad has been let at \$118,800-00.

Henry P. Miller, of Hillsdale, who recently pleaded guilty to a charge of forging a \$200 check, was sentenced to two years at the state prison. State Treasurer B. D. Pritchard has ordered the payment of the January interest due on the bonds of this state, amounting to \$17,730, at the American exchange national bank of New York.

A young man at South Haven shot a bullet into his ear, because of financial difficulties. He had tendered the money in payment of the mortgage on his farm and been refused because it was not due. He then loaned the money and when his mortgage became due could not get the money, and his farm was sold. Wilber F. Clute is talking strongly of starting a paper in Centerville. Of course with Wilber at the helm it will be of G. B.

The Marshall Common Council pro-pose to set their traps at work break-ing stone for the improvement of the streets of the city. They have more of them than they propose to board free. A native of Pompeii, Grant county, has gone south to dig up \$100,000 in coin, the location of which was revealed to him by a squaw who "sees vis-ions." Of course he has a sure thing on it.

A man named Howard, of Port Hu-ron, was shot a few days since, and it now appears that he had a \$100,000 policy of insurance on his life, but it lapsed in September last because he had failed to pay the premium.

At Coleman, Midland county, on the 22d, Thomas Hale, of Peterboro, Ont., was taken with a fit and fell upon a hot stove in the waiting room of the railroad depot, and there being at the time no other person in the room he laid against the stove until the right side of his face was burned to a crisp. The Reed City Clarion says dear that have been lying dead in the woods for weeks are now being shipped to the eastern markets. Tender veal steaks, that would be sure.

A Marshall paper says: "Twenty years ago a lady came from abroad to visit friends in Marshall, and while here she bought some cloth of one of the merchants and made a cloak. A few days ago she came again to visit her friends and while here had the cloak made over, and bought some cloth of the same merchant and of the same piece of cloth that the cloak was made of." Query: Did that man ever advertise?—Evening News.

Irving Powers died at Madison, Lenawee county, on the 12th, from in-juries received at the great deadfall disaster at Adrian, last October. At the time he was thought to have been mortally wounded, but he has lingered two months, although the lower part of his vertebrae was fractured and the spinal cord dried up.—Evening News. Whatever may be the result of the attack upon Smith by the masked men in Deatur, the act can never be look-ed upon as anything but a most despi-cable outrage, and will ever be a shame on the community, if the perpetrators are not brought to justice. The guilt of Smith, if he be proven guilty, is no excuse for the deed, and it will be expected of the officers of Van Buren county to see that such punishment as the case demands be meted out.

According to the local quill-driver of the Interior Ocean, Cass county por-cess contains some very queer speci-mens of the freaks of nature, as exhib-ited in the human form. The most re-markable of them are what is known as the turtle and the hungry man. The former is said to have the form of a turtle, with heavy layers of gristly skin on his back and breast, remem-bering that of the shell of the turtle, and being possessed of double joints in his limbs, turning them outward like those of a turtle, although he walks upright. He shows a great liking for the water, and will stay under water an exceedingly long time. He is 32 years of age, but small of stature. The other is a man who shows no other peculiarity than the propensity for eat-ing all that is placed before him, and still long for more. The cause of the turtle man's peculiarities are account-ed for from a fright received by his mother, from being bitten on the hand while boating on Diamond Lake, and allowing her hand to drag in the water alongside the boat. It is said that Barnum is negotiating for the posses-sion of this wonderful curiosity.

Charles Squires, a farmer living one and one-half miles southeast of Coop-ersville, is the owner of a cow which is entitled to the blue ribbon. The productive qualifications attributed to this maidenly bovine seem almost in-credible, but Mr. Squires is a farmer whose word would not be questioned, and he declares that the story is not overdone. The cow is but four and a half years old at this time. At the age of eleven months she became the mother of twins. The spring before she was three years old she went two better, and was delivered of four calves at one birth. Last winter being an "off year" for stock raising, this ener-gic young cow decided to take mat-ter more mildly, and dropped down one notch, and the increase of cattle through her individual efforts was but three young bullocks. One month ago she became the mother of a fine pair of calves, which are doing well, mak-ing in all eleven. The cow is reported to be in a quiet, reflective mood, and it is useless to predict what her ar-rangements are for the future. Mich-igan Agricul for the world stock rais-ing.—Grand Rapids Leader.

Twenty-five months ago Mr. W. H. Hoskins, of Lansing township, acci-dentally swallowed the third part of a beehive nut, and it was carried, prob-ably by inhaling his breath, into the air pipes of the left lung. It bled profusely, and Mr. Hoskins has suffered fre-quently from hemorrhages since that time. A cough has resulted and the general health of Mr. Hoskins has failed. He has consulted the ablest phy-sicians and taken the most approved remedies. But in spite of everything that could be done he was going into an evident decline. A feature of his case was severe paroxysms of coughing. Last Sunday morning, during one of these severe paroxysms, Mr. Hoskins had the inexpressible satisfaction of raising the offending substance from his lung. He now hopes to recover his health. Mr. Hoskins was a large, strong, healthy man, possessing almost a model physique, but his appearance, as well as his health, has greatly chang-ed within the last two years. Strong hopes are now entertained of his en-tire recovery.—Lansing Journal.

The Detroit Post and Tribune of Dec. 18, says: "Gov. Crosswell has ten-dered to the Hon. Rowland E. Trow-bridge the position on the board of com-missioners to select a site for the State school for the blind made vacant by the resignation of Ex-Governor Bag-ley, and Mr. Trowbridge has accepted the appointment. The commission will decide the location about the first of February. Until then the Secretary of the board (the Hon. T. S. Applegate of Adrian) will receive proposals from localities desirous of securing the location of the school in their vicinity, and the commissioners will visit such pro-posed sites as they are able to."

Advantages of a Gold Dollar. A young lady of Lambertville, Pa., is a gold dollar with a program in-scribed upon it. One evening in Feb-ruary last, after a sleigh ride, she mis-sed it. Search was made, but it was of no avail. Finally they learned that a man had found the dollar below the steps of the sleigh, and had spent it at a saloon. The saloon-keeper remembered receiv-ing the money, but he had paid it to a butcher. The latter collected it pay-ing it over in Trenton. The address of the drover was secured, and a letter written him requesting a re-ply at once. It came, with the infor-mation that he had purchased a ticket with the gold dollar, and had spent it at the Lambertville butcher gave it to him. The search was continued. The agent remembered the dollar, and said he laid it aside for a few hours, but as the drover who paid it to him evi-dently knew nothing concerning it, it was forwarded to the general office in Phila-delphia with the daily account. The receiver of the New Jersey receipts at Trenton, Philadelphia, and New York, with the beautiful engraving had been noted; but it had been deposited in the bank along with other sums of money. The cashier was communicat-ed with. His attention had been call-ed to the gold dollar, and he had paid it to a dollar, and he had placed it aside. Un-fortunately, a gentleman desiring sev-eral hundred dollars in gold had been furnished with the amount, and the gold dollar had in some way been mix-ed with that sum, and gone westward. The gentleman's name was furnished, and a letter was sent to him.

The event so far described took place in March, and the program was passed upon by the drover from the lost jewel. A few days ago, however, there came a letter written by the gentleman who had gone west. He said he had the dollar in his possession, as the monogram attracted his notice, and he kept the coin on that account. He promised to send the coin as should be directed. He was as good as his word, and the little gold piece is back in Lambertville once more.—Philadelphia Times.

No More Hard Times. If you will stop depending so much on fine clothes, rich food and style, buy good, healthy food, cheaper and better clothing; get more real and sub-stantial things of every day, and especially stop the foolish habit of em-ploying expensive, quack doctors or using so much of the vile humbug med-icine that does you only harm, but put your trust in that simple, pure remedy, Hop Bitters; that cures always at a trifling cost, and you see good times and have good health.—Chronicle.

Don't Take a Blue Pill? No, don't take it and run the risk of mercurial poison, but when bilious and constipated, get a box of the cele-brated Kidney-Wort, and it will speed-ily cure you. It is nature's great rem-edy for constipation, and for all kid-ney and liver diseases. It acts promp-ly on the great organs and so restore strength and vigor.

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Berrien Co. Record.

THURSDAY, JAN. 1, 1880.

Entered at the Post-Office, at Buchanan, Mich., as Second-Class Matter.

NOBLE

Will close out his stock of

CLOTHING, BOOTS & SHOES, HATS & CAPS,

Gents Furnishing Goods

at low prices to make room for the Spring stock.

See the Bargains he Offers BEFORE BUYING.

1880.

HAPPY NEW YEAR.

LAST Sunday was a harvest day for livery men.

COURT next week again. Does your case come off then?

GENTLEMEN, please don't forget that wood you promised.

The Register of Deeds wandered down this way Monday.

The boys utilized the race as a skating rink for a few days.

The weather is almost as changeable as the mind of an old maid.

JUDGE STANFIELD, of South Bend, is talked of for Governor of Indiana.

THERE were very few who were missed with presents on Christmas.

WE call special attention to Dr. Morris' advertisement in this paper.

MRS. G. A. HOWARD received for a Christmas present a fine gold watch.

FIVE Sundays in the month of February this year. The first time since 1851.

THE Fat Contributor told the Dowagiac people some valuable things about "Injun Meal."

THE middle of the streets was the choice path for pedestrians Thursday and Friday.

LEAP YEAR parties are fashionable after to-day. Old maids and young, notice.

THE Ingleright Bros.' new sign was placed into position at their market last Saturday.

Last Saturday was a busy time in this place. Excellent sleighing, and everybody out.

THIRTY-FIVE below zero is what the mercury said in some parts of the country Christmas.

MERCURY worked down pretty well toward the bottom of the thermometer Thursday night last.

KEEP your walks free from snow and relieve the blessings of your neighbors who walk over it.

OUR advertisement last week asking for about four inches of snow was a success. The snow came.

POMONA GRANGE of Berrien county will be held on Tuesday, January 13th, and 14th, at Berrien Center.

THE wagon factory has been closed since Christmas, and will now commence business again.

A letter is advertised in the Benton Harbor postoffice for J. Christ. Does any one know such a person?

PROF. HOWELL went Monday morning to attend the State Teachers' Institute that was in session there.

A Benton Harbor lady, named Vincent, fell upon the sidewalk one day last week and broke her arm.

IT takes four per cent. to pay the tax collector for his trouble now. Time is worth more than it was.

MR. AND MRS. W. S. WELLS of Chicago spent a portion of last week visiting relatives in Buchanan.

MR. JACOB TREMEL, a farmer living near Dayton, died last Friday, December 26, aged sixty years.

AN attempt will be made to secure the services of General Logan for Decoration day in this place.

THE RECORD office has been so driven with job work the last few days that night work has been necessary.

BOYS, did you "swore off" this time? If you did, slick it to. If you didn't, the sooner you can the better for you.

MR. W. W. WHITNEY, of Toledo, Ohio, spent last Sabbath with his father-in-law, Mr. Fairbanks, of this place.

THE past few moonlight nights have been made alive with the merry jingle of sleigh bells until far past the "ama hours."

New advertisements for H. H. Kinyon, G. W. Noble, S. P. & C. C. High and W. A. Severson appear in this issue.

MISS MATE HOLLENBECK started Tuesday morning for a four or five week's visit among her friends in New York State.

IT will be the boys who says "yes" or "no" this year. Just keep an account of the number of "nos" they give, please.

TRAINS from the east, last Thursday, were four or five hours late, owing to the rough weather and a slight mishap.

A TELEGRAM was received in this place Tuesday evening, from Pennsylvania, announcing the death of Mrs. Jacob Housewerts' father.

DR. H. A. REYNOLDS, the temperance reformer, can be secured for services in large or small towns in this State by addressing him at Lansing.

ON Wednesday of last week Mr. Joseph Burch set 105 horse shoes in seven and a half hours. If there is any one who has beaten this let him report.

MISS REBECCA BROOK was the recipient of a basket of the most beautiful flowers as a Christmas present that has been our lot to see in many a day.

THE young men who keep open houses for New Years calls to-day should have handed in their names for announcement, that the ladies who go calling may know where they will be welcome.

DIED.—Mrs. J. W. Beistle of this place, died very suddenly Monday afternoon. She had been under the care of the physicians for several months. She leaves a family of three small children.

THE Chicago Weekly Tribune will be furnished any one applying at this office, one year for \$1.10. The Tribune is one of the best papers in Chicago.

MR. GILES STRONG, of Weesaw, received a rather severe kick on the hip by one of his horses a short time since, that made him quite lame for a short time. No bones broken.

THE practice of passing around the wine bottle of New Years callers, is fast becoming obsolete. And well it may, for it is one of the most pernicious customs known.

TWO the cases against John Richler, of Galien, mentioned last week, were continued one week, bringing the trial to-morrow, January 2d. The adjournment was for the purpose of procuring witnesses.

MR. FRED SCHRAY has a little companion in his part of this building in the form of a mouse, that will run into the room near the organ whenever anyone plays during the evening, and will return as soon as the playing ceases.

SINCE the announcement of Edison's success with his electric light, we are not in so great a hurry for kerosene lamps to light our streets, but are willing to wait until we hear more of the success of his investigation, and if within our reach shall ask for a few of those lamps.

PROSECUTING Attorney Van Riper has a long list of pretty hotly contested criminal cases to attend to during the January term of court. Generally in such cases if his man is guilty he gets his just punishment.

WE are under obligations to the Ingleright Brothers for a good fat turkey, from their market, for dinner to-day. 'Tis not every day an editor gets used in that manner, and the few times come as surprises to him. Many thanks.

SOUTH BEND has a thief whose petty depredations are so common occurrence that when he steals five or ten dollars' worth of goods from a store they refuse to prosecute him, but allow him to go on his way and seek his next victim.

A CHRISTMAS PRESENT THRU HAVING.—Mrs. F. Smith, we learn was the recipient of the house and lot of one acre of ground known as the Gillem property, as a Christmas present from her father, Mr. Eli J. Roe. This is a present of substantial worth, and that will be remembered.

SAMUEL TUDOR of Berrien Springs complains, through the columns of the Era, of the variation in weights of wheat at the Niles mills, with the inference that foul play is practiced. Pretty certain proof should be at hand to warrant such an accusation, for that means stealing.

OUR young friend Lew. Boyl has bought a half interest in S. W. Regden's store, in Dayton, and will deal out the breadcloths and silks to the Daytonites. This leaves Mr. DeArmond, at lease, and he in turn goes into the boot and shoe business with Mr. Kern. Considerable of a change for that usually quiet ville.

THE Ingleright Brothers have on exhibition at their market a well preserved under-jaw of a hog that is evidently an aged affair, and by the way, quite a curiosity. It was found by the Drain Commissioner, L. W. Spaulding, at the bottom of a ditch about three feet under ground, in the north part of this township.

THE Marshal says his tramp customers are a different class of persons this year than those who sought his hospitality last year, being all able bodied, well dressed young men, mostly sailors from the lakes, of the "happy go lucky" sort, who spend their money as fast as they can get it, while last year they were mostly professionals in the tramp business, who followed it as a profession.

THERE being a general feeling throughout the state that the standard of qualifications required of teachers is far too low, the state board of education has ordered that an average of 75 per cent. shall be required for obtaining a certificate of the third grade, 80 for the second grade and 90 for the first grade, and that the spring examinations in 1880 shall be held on Saturday, the 27th day of March.

ACCIDENT.—A brakeman named Kingsley, on a through freight train on the Michigan Central, was knocked from the top of a refrigerator car, on which he was riding and which was about two feet higher than ordinary box cars, by being struck by a bridge between this place and Niles, Saturday morning. He was thrown under the wheels of the train and literally torn to pieces. His people live in Spring Arbor, to which place his mangled remains were taken.

MISS MAGGIE JARVIS, from near Dowagiac, who was here on a visit last week, received a telegram Monday morning that her father, Mr. Benjamin Jarvis, had died on that morning. Mr. J. is a brother-in-law of Miss Jennie Alexander and Mrs. Charles Snyder, who, with other relatives, left this place Tuesday evening to attend the funeral, which was held yesterday.

THE case of The People vs. A. B. Hicks, for selling liquor to George Munson, was tried before Justice Dick last Wednesday, Dec. 24, Hicks was found guilty and fined \$25 and costs, amounting in all to \$30, besides his own attorney, which was probably \$10 or more. He paid the bill rather than go to jail for 40 days, which was given him as a choice.

ELECTION.—The following officers of Buchanan Lodge No. 68, F. & A. M. were elected on last Friday evening, and installed on Saturday evening: F. Franklin, W. M.; John Perrott, S. W.; Robert Benwell, J. V.; Jacob Imhoff, Treas.; Fred Schray, Sec.; S. A. Atwood, S. D.; B. T. Morley, J. D.

ELECTION.—The following were elected officers of Buchanan Lodge No. 75, I. O. O. F., on Tuesday evening: Van Kirkendall, N. G.; B. S. Crawford, V. G.; J. M. Roe, Sec.; C. H. Smith, P. S.; John Hanover, Treas.; W. I. Hines, Rep. to G. L.; Peter Weese, Trustee for three years.

THE concert of Remony in Peak's Hall, Niles, last Thursday evening, was splendid, considering the very unfavorable circumstances. There was a little better than no fire in the hall and performers, as well as audience, came near freezing. The violin playing was of the best, although our taste is rather in favor of Camilla Urso, her playing being of a smoother, more even style, and with less of harsh sounds. It were a hard question to decide which of the two is the better master of the instrument.

THE Pictorial Bible and Commentator is a new work by Ingram Cobbin, V. D. M., now being introduced in this place and vicinity by Mr. Cheesman, and is a valuable aid to young people in the study of the bible. In his comments Mr. Cobbin minutely reviews each separate subject of the various books of both the old and new testaments and the apocrypha, with a clearness that will be of great assistance to young students. The work contains 1,018 pages, and is copiously illustrated with 450 engravings, including some fine steel plates.

MR. SMITH, agent for the Michigan Central Company in this place, informs us that the trouble in receiving wheat at the depot is not in the capacity of the elevator, excepting when it is out of repair, but for a lack of storing room. Wheat has come in this place this season from north of Berrien and in Niles township, and other places north from where there was no thoughts of receiving wheat before. The full capacity of the elevator, we learn, is about 25,000 bushels per day when in good working order.

A STRONG company has been formed in Buchanan for the manufacture of wagons, all the parties to which are well and favorably known here. The company was organized with the following officers: Solomon Rough, general manager; W. N. Rough, treasurer; Geo. H. Rough, secretary and Major Samuel Wells, superintendent and salesman.

THE new company has purchased the Buchanan wagon works, and will be ready for business by the first of January. They have now a large four-story brick building well supplied with machinery, but during the coming year will make extensive additions to both. The Rough brothers are well known for their enterprise and business push, and Major Wells, through his long connection with the Jackson works, is one of the best known wagon men in the country. We wish the new company success.—South Bend Register.

That sounds first rate, but there are a few corrections. In the first place this is no new company, they have done business here a year or more, and been in the wagon business since last July. Secondly, there is no such member of the firm as Major Samuel Wells, but Mr. Wells is employed by the Rough Brothers as traveling salesman, and is paid by them a stated salary. Thirdly, instead of just being ready for business by January first, they have been making wagons to the full capacity of the machinery since the first of September. Otherwise, with exception of the election of officers, as stated above, having never taken place, the notice is a good one.

IN the Lansing Republican of Dec. 23 there are two cases from this county reported as having been decided by the Supreme Court. One was that of Louis Lamore vs. Harriet M. Frisbie et al, in chancery, suit to stop an ejectment. The other was that of Mary E. Miles vs. Ada Skinner et al of St. Joseph. This case was one in which Mary E. Miles and her husband gave a mortgage on their premises, which were in his name, the mortgage to be due in installments. When the first installment became due proceedings for foreclosure were commenced and the property sold. The person buying, after getting a deed from the court, sold to Mary E. Miles and gave a warranty deed. She held the premises several years and made improvements to the amount of \$250, and paid the taxes. The mortgagee commenced proceedings for second foreclosure on subsequent installments, and the premises were sold, mortgage becoming purchaser. Complainant in this case asks to have the amount of her purchase money, improvements, interest and taxes refunded to her, and that she receive such other relief as she may be entitled to. The court held that the purchaser at first foreclosure sale acquired a title to the entire premises, sold, discharged from all further liabilities under the mortgage, and the title so acquired by him passed from him under his sale to the complainant, and that the subsequent foreclosure proceedings in no way affected her title to the premises, and decree was given accordingly. Both cases were reversed from the decision of the county court.

Proceedings of the Common Council of the Village of Buchanan. 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, Dec. 26, 1879. Present—J. D. Ross, President; B. D. Harper, Recorder; Trustees Johnson, Res and Ross. The minutes of the regular meeting held Nov. 28, were read and approved. The following bills were read and referred to the Committee on Finance and Claims: GENERAL FUND. American Fire Hose Co. 400 ft. hose. \$268 00 D. E. Homan, attorney fees. 15 00 Wm. Powers, freight on hose. 1 42 H. N. Hathaway, services, etc. 30 48 HORSEY FUND. John Weisberger, lumber. 14 98 J. M. Roe, lumber. 5 76 Rough Bros., nails, etc. 5 00 Thos. Lord, 5 days labor. 6 25 N. York, 1 5-10. 1 80 H. N. Hathaway, paid for work. 1 35

AN EXPERIENCE. ED. RECORD.—Did you ever have an experience with a coal stove? Did you ever see your dear wife and lovely children cold, sad and disconsolate, hovering over a beautiful coal stove, with no more heat around it than there is around a tombstone, and at the same time have the stove do its level best to warm them? Did you ever experience all this and wonder if Edison had been around and abstracted all the heat from the fire and left nothing but light? We have. Yea, more. We have seen the coal stove man come down upon us like a ministering angel and quietly shove in a damper that we through ignorance pulled out, and explain to us some of the anatomical relations and physiological workings of the Crown Jewel, and soon we began to realize that things were getting warmer. What a change! Our family commenced to look cheerful. The snow is now melting off the yard, men pull off their coats, and women fan themselves as they pass by the house. The horses in the barn have to be sponged with cold water, and the chickens on the roosts are commencing to bake. This is caused by knowing how to run the machine: Pull out the damper and let it cool off. For the sake of humanity, cool it off. Now I don't want the boys to say my stove is not warm enough to blow up, for it makes me feel bad.

ITEMS FROM THREE OAKS. December 31, 1879. The handle and saw mills have received quite a supply of bolts and logs, and are running every week day. Handles bringing a fair price now. Uncle Martin and Siphia Foster, with a number of others, have gone to Northern Michigan to visit a sister, and be present at her golden wedding. There are five brothers and sisters. Miss Cora Jones, aged sixteen, has been very sick—improving to-day. Mrs. J. D. Miller is very low with consumption. One of the Gridly boys was nearly killed by a tree falling on him. His skull was fractured and some bones broken. A new firm, C. C. Sherill & C. C. Brown, both good men to deal with, have bought the right of Berriep and Cass counties, for the sale of the "white bronze" monuments, said to be very beautiful and lasting. Success to the firm. Several store locks were tampered with last Saturday night, and one residence burglarized. One ten dollar gold piece was taken; also clothing. I prefer a burglar any time to a malicious liar. Mr. Martin, from Wisconsin, commences preaching at the Congregational church next Sabbath. The Christian Society are having a revival meeting, Rev. Mr. Cole, pastor. They had a large attendance last evening. The Baptist Society are holding a series of meetings at the Gifford school house, with good results. The Masons had a brotherly time at their oyster supper on Saturday last. We noticed Capt. Bradley and his daughters, Grace and Martha, were present from Berrien Springs. We noticed brothers from Laporte county at the supper. The school board demoralized the diphtheria by adjourning school some time ago. There has not been a case since. School commences on Monday next. ITEMIZER.

LOCALS. A New Book.—Dr. G. Morris has secured the agency in Buchanan for The Life of Zachariah Chandler, published by the Detroit Post & Tribune, and will call upon you in due time. You will regret it if you do not buy. Seal and imitation Seal Caps just received for men and youths, at WRAYNER & Co's. 50 pairs of the choicest 50 cent Tobacco ever offered in Buchanan, for sale at GRANGE STORE. Dr. G. Morris is sole agent for the sale of Day's Kidney Pad for Buchanan and vicinity. Try Smith's 50c Tea if you want the best. Notice.—Having sold out our store, all accounts must be settled within the next thirty days by cash or note. Please give this your attention. SPENCER & BARNES. SOLD OVE.—Spencer & Barnes have closed out their stock of fine Furniture to M. Barnes & Co., and people wanting furniture will find it to their advantage to call on the new firm for their furniture of all kinds. They will continue the business at the old stand. We have authorized Mr. Robert H. Rogers to take our books and settle all accounts thereon. When he calls on you, pay him cash if possible, if not, settle by note, and oblige, respectfully yours, DR. E. S. DODD & SON. Sauer-Kraut at Smith's.

W. K. SAWYER, Excursion Agent. Agent for railroad lands and improved farms in Kansas. Also farm lands and village property in Berrien Co., Mich. Address with stamp, W. K. SAWYER, Three Oaks, Berrien Co., Mich. Our 50c Syrup can't be beat. S. & W. W. SMITH. The new background and accessories just received at Bradley's are fine. Get your photos there, and you will have them first-class. The new remedy, Day's Kidney Pad, is a positively guaranteed cure for all diseases of the kidneys, bladder and urinary organs. Underwear, Rubber Boots and all reasonable goods greatly reduced at the Grange Store. Don't fail to call before purchasing. You can find any kind of Furniture, at M. Barnes & Co., cheap for cash. Satisfaction guaranteed. Save your money and buy your presents at T. M. FULTON & Co. For female weakness, from whatever cause, don't fail to try the Kidney Pad. Never fails. Pictures Framed to order, at M. BARNES & Co. High's new \$5.00 Cloak is the boss. CLOAKS for every lady, at T. M. FULTON & Co. Keep your eye out for bargains, at Sign of Red Flag. We have more new styles of Glass Sets. Come and buy before they are gone. BARMORE BROS. HIGHS' STORE! HIGHS' STORE!! All goods greatly reduced for the Holiday trade, at GRANGE STORE. 14 doz. new Silk Handkerchiefs at Fulton's Chicago Cheap Store. The Chicago Store beats all on low prices. A few of those nice patent hand sleds, at M. Barnes & Co. Must be sold. Oysters in every style, at KINYON'S. HIGHS' NEW STORE. Have you seen those new Hat Pins, at T. M. FULTON & Co. G. W. Noble will make low prices in Overcoats from now until Jan. 1. Collars and cuffs, at T. M. FULTON & Co. 25 cents will buy one pound of Tea, at T. M. FULTON & Co. You always get the best Tobacco at KINYON'S. 25 cents will buy one pound of good Tobacco at T. M. FULTON & Co. For weak back or pain in the back, try the Day Kidney Pad. Sure cure. A new lot of the latest styles of ladies Walking Shoes at Waite & Woods'. Call and see them. Ladies, don't forget Mrs. Dunning when you want any Millinery Goods. She always keeps the latest styles at reasonable prices. More goods for the money, at Graham's, than any store in the county. Turk's Island Salt, at BARMORE BROS. Oysters, Oysters, bulk, can, case, stew, or fry, at BARMORE BROS. Buckwheat Flour at BARMORE BROS. 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 BROS. Trade good at T. M. FULTON & Co. Don't fail to call at Kinyon's Oyster Parlor for good stews. Roberts shears and scissors, at HIGHS'. Pocket and table cutlery for the million, at Rough Brothers, cheap and first-class. 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. Oysters in every style, at BARMORE BROS'. All say that Kinyon's Butter-scotch, and Caramels are the best made. Save money by buying your whips at ROUGH BROS. One ton of choice pure Buckwheat flour for sale at GRANGE STORE. Fresh Pan Candies and Butter Scotch, daily, at BARMORE BROS. Our trade is still increasing on our 50c Tea. BARMORE BROS. Cane Seated Chairs newly bottomed at reasonable rates. FRED SCHRAY, Record Building. The best 50c Chewing Tobacco is found at BARMORE BROS. Rough Brothers have the best display of scissors and shears in Buchanan. DODD'S DRUG STORE. Bradley keeps an assortment of Picture Frames of all regular sizes. See them. Old papers for sale at this office. Bradley's new Photos are ahead of them all. Fresh Pan Candies every day, at KINYON'S. Ladies Cloaks are cheap, at T. M. FULTON & Co's. The Cabinet Photograph, at Bradley's, is having a good run. See them, and you will have them. Kinyon has Oysters by the Case, Can or Dish at bottom prices. The Cheap Chicago Store. See the goods. When visiting Niles, if you have any old jewelry, take it to J. Crocker-Brown, one door east of the Citizens National Bank, with W. G. Bligh, and have it worked over into new.

Having bought the entire stock of Furniture of Spencer & Barnes, we are prepared to sell goods very low for cash. Quick sales and small profits, is our motto. M. BARNES & Co. The Day's Kidney Pad for the certain, safe and speedy cure of all kidney or bladder troubles, is for sale by Dr. G. Morris. Dealers can be supplied by Larimore & Dean, Niles, agents for the county. Buy PIANOS and ORGANS of R. D. BULLOCK, the Great Piano and Organ Dealer of Michigan. General agent for STEINWAY & SON'S, HAZELTON BROS., ERNST GALLER, WHELOCK AND HADEN & SON'S PIANOS; also the celebrated SMITH AMERICAN ORGAN, and the Imperial Sterling Organ. Spacious ware Rooms at Detroit, Jackson, Grand Rapids and East Saginaw. Address R. D. Bullock, Jackson, Mich., for illustrated catalogues and price lists. ELY's Cream Balm cures Catarrh without the unpleasant effect of snuff or liquids. See advertisement in another column. In Tess the Grange Store is leading them all. Giddy of Wrong. Some people have a fashion of confusing excellent remedies with the large mass of "patent medicines," and in this they are guilty of wrong. There are some advertised remedies fully worth all that is asked for them, and one at least we know of—Hop Bitters. The writer has had occasion to use the Bitters in just such a climate as we have most of the year in Bay City, and has always found them to be as harmless as salt, and perfect in operation. High Priced Butter. Dairymen often wonder how their more favored competitors get such high prices for their butter the year round. It is by always having a uniform gilt edged article. To put the "gilt edge" on, when the pastures do not do it, they use Wells, Richardson & Co's Perfected Butter Color. Every butter maker can do the same. Sold everywhere and warranted as harmless as salt, and perfect in operation. When You Feel Mean take Kidney-Wort, advertised in another column. It acts energetically on the bowels and kidneys at the same time, and so cures a host of diseases caused by the inaction of these organs. If you are out of fix, buy it at your druggists and save a doctor's bill.

STATE 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 Monday, the 28th day of December, 1879, before me, the undersigned, Judge of Probate, present, ALEXANDER B. LEEDS, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Caroline J. Hildreth, Dec'd. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Luther B. Hildreth, a son of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to said son, and that Monday, the 28th day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be and is hereby set 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 held 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 petition give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and of the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper published and circulated in said county, three consecutive weeks previous to said day of hearing. (A true copy.) ALEXANDER B. LEEDS, Judge of Probate.

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All-Sorts. Lincoln's old home in Sangamon, Illinois, is deserted and fast going to decay. Any man can edit a newspaper, but it takes a genius to make 800 miles in six days.

Fruit Eating. When fruit does harm it is because it is eaten at improper times, in improper quantities, or before it is ripe for the human stomach.

SAFORD'S RADICAL CURE. MY safe claim to be one of the few popular cures in cream. We are not afraid of the action of the pure fruit acids in our system.

Russian Jury. Russian jurors make up their verdicts without the slightest reference to the evidence. Toward the close of 1877 and the beginning of 1879 frequent complaints were made to the consular authorities of St. Petersburg of letters not having reached their destinations, and inquiry being made, a letter-carrier named Alexeyeff was arrested on suspicion.

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The Baldwin Apple. Brooks' history of Medford, Mass., in relation to the origin of the Baldwin apple has the following: To Medford belongs the introduction of the celebrated Baldwin apple.

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The History of Wheat. It is difficult in the present day to realize the fact that wheat was at one time unknown to the American people prior to the discovery of the continent by Columbus.

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