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Please, sir, give me just one penny I want to buy some bread for m

LITTLE HABEFOOT.

CHORUS.

While we beg for those with plenty, And for them to us unknown, We'll not forget our little "Barefoots," They are heathens nearer home. Hailing thus each passing strauger
As they hurriedly went by,
Some would turn and gaze upon her,
Pity beaming from their eye;
Others cast a frown upon her,
Heeding not the plaintive cry;
"I must have some bread for mother
Or with hunger, she will dis."

or with hunger she will die.

Mister! Please give me a penny,
For I've not got any pa Piease, sir, give me just one penny—
I want to buy some bread for ma!" CHORTE, While we beg for those with plenty, etc.

There, one chilly day in winter,
Barefoot sat upon the pave.
Outstretched were her little fingers,
But no pennies dot; he crave.
There, whi'e begging bread for mother,
Death had chilled her little heart,
Yet each day we see some other
Playing Little Barefoot's part.
"Mister! Please give me a penny,
For I've not got any pa—
Please, sir, give me just one penny—
I want to buy some bread for ma!"

CHORUS. While we beg for those with plenty, etc.

CONVICTS ON THE SEA.

We were about 800 miles south of the Cape of Good Hope, and our ship's head pointed nearly due east. "Twelve knots an hour," says I to the skipper, in reply to "How much is she making?" The dripping log line was rolled up and the time-glass placed away in the binnacle. An extra pull was taken on the braces, the yards pressed hard against the stays, and right well did the old Marathon lie over from the heavy breeze that swelled our canvas to its greatest tension. I hove the log again. "How much now?" says the skipper.

"Twelve and a half, sir." "I guess that is about all we can get out of her, with this wind; that extra null gave her the other half knot." In ten days after passing Kerguelen's Land, the high and irregular coast of Australia was raised from the masthead by our first mate, Mr. Bolter, who shouted the glad tidings to those on deck. No sooner had the sound of his voice died away than a baker's dozen were running up the ratines, cager to obtain even a distant view of the great

A number of us old salts, who had sailed for Australia before, contented ourselves by snuffing the air like so many porpoises.

After we had passed between Tasmania and the South Sea continent, we caught ight breeze on our quarter and headed for Sydney. No sooner had we dropped our right bower in the river just off the town than our vessel was boarded by the surgeon of the port, who examined our papers, and, being satisfied that we were in good health, our ship was allowed to haul up nearer the city. The old man went ashore to make his report to the Consul, but when he returned his face wore a troubled look. He called Mr. Bolter and myself into the cabin, where, to our surprise and chagrin, he stated that the Consul informed him that, when the cargo was discharged, he should have to press the ship into service for the Government to carry a lot

of convicts to Van Dieman's Land. The vessel that brought them was disabled, and could proceed no further. The skipper remonstrated against the seizure, but it was of no avail. The Consul said he was sorry, but it could not be avoided—our vessel being the only one in port that would answer the purpose, and the convicts must be got off without delay. This news found its way among the crew, and several efthem ran away and took to the bush, not caring to risk themselves at sea with a lot of desperate men fresh from the of England. The skipper quieted the fears of the rest by telling them that no danger could possibly arise, as the convicts would be heavily ironed and placed between decks with a

guard over them. On the following morning, between decks were prepared for the reception of our live freight. A strong double bulkhead was put up just forward of the cabin, and one just aft of the chain-lockers. and extra bars and padlocks were pro-

cured for the hatches.

When I surveyed the work of the Government carpenters my mind felt some

Everything being in readiness, our guests were marched down between files of soldiers. Each convict was hand-cuffed, and on the right ankle of every man an iron ring was fastened, to which were attached heavy chains. Six of them being fastened together, their movements were quite slow, and retardmovements were quite slow and retarded. As they filed up the gang plank to the deck, I counted eighty-seven. Some were large, powerful men; others were weak and wore a sickly expression, but they all had a look of dogged determination, their closely-cropped hair and striped trousers and jackets making them look all the more savage. When number eighty-seven reached the deck, they were drawn up in line and inspected by the superintendent and his assist-Each convict was thoroughly

searched in order to see if he had any Nothing was found, however, but what was proper for them to have. So the inspector informed us that there would be no danger, and we would soon be rid of them. The guard that was to accompany us had been selected with great care, each one having a musket, two revolvers and a cutlass. Several extra casks of water were got on board

for fear we would not have enough to for fear we would not have enough to last during the run. As no signs of our runaways were to be had, the skipper was colliged to ship several men in order to fill his complement. One of these fellows was a villainous-looking customer, and I asked the Captain why he

shipped such a man. He replied that it was the best he could do. Sailors were scarce, as nearly every one was off in the mines, or stock raising. I told Capt. Billows that I did not relish having such a man on board the Marathon, but he laughed at my fears and said the man had been discharged from a Liverpool ship some two months before, and, as he wished to return home, he thought he would ship on

the Marathon.

had shipped him on the strength of this. I said nothing more to the old man, but determined to keep a weather eye on that man's movements. We were to put out to sea that night, if the wind were favorable. The eighty-seven men were placed between decks to remain there until morning, when they would be taken out for an airing. The guard consisted of twenty-four men, half the number standing watch while the others turned in below.

The Consul verified the man's state

ment, which satisfied the skipper, so he

It was 11 o'clock before the wind was in our favor, and nearly 8 bells when we weighed anchor. I tell you I did not sleep much in my watch below; the shouts and curses of the convicts made a perfect Bedlam and would have aroused the seven sleepers. In vain the guard threatened them, but they only answered derisively and dared the soldiers to

Mr. Bolter came to my berth when his watch was out, and said he expected to find me awake, for no one could sleep with those wretches howling. So I lighted my pipe and went on deck, preferring to remain above than on a level

with the banished Englishmen. Before daybreak they were quiet enough, and no particular one could be sifted out for creating the disturbance, so the whole eighty-seven went scot free.

About 7 o'clock they were led up on deck for an airing, and to pass inspection. After remaining three hours they were sent below again. In the afternoon about 3 o'clock a gale sprung up, which required all hands to reef topsails The yards were soon manned, and I went aloft myself, as is generally the custom when all hands are called. While I was passing the weather ear-ring and taking the last turn, I heard

Shaling (one of the foremast hands, who was knotting a reef-point next to me("Where is Barker? I don't see him

on the yard." I looked over the line of men, and sure enough he was not there. I tell you I wasn't long in getting on deck and stating my suspicions to the Captain. We at once rushed forward, followed by several of the guard, and just as we reached the forecastle who should make his appearance but Barker. The old man yelled at him: are you doing down there? Speak up;

what are you skirking below for when all hands were called for duty?" "I was sick," growled the scoundrel. "and could not go aloft."

"You are lying, you villain, and you know it," said the skipper. "I'l be bound you are up to some deviltry. Mr. Steeraway, just keep your eye on him till I come back."
"Ay, ay, sir," I responded.

By this time all hands had come down

from aloft The Captain soon returned and stated that he could find nothing out of the way, but I was convinced in my own mind that something was out of the way. So the old man gave me leave to go be-low and satisfy myself. I could find nothing, but at the same time was far from being satisfied. I asked why was Barker, of all others, down below? We told the crew of our suspicions, and or-dered them to keep a lookout on Bar-

As the night came on, the guard was relieved and cautioned by the sergeaut to be on the alert. It seemed kind of queer to me that the convicts remained so quiet, for beyond a low conversation their voices were scarcely audible, but I thought afterward that probably they intended to get a good night's rest, and

in Boston. My mother came up to my room (I was still in my dreams) to tuck in the bed-clothes. I felt her gentle touch on the blankets; but why did she place her hand over my mouth? 1 opened my eyes to see the reason. The glittering blade of a sheath knife

"Now, Steeraway," says he, "you just keep quiet, and you won't be hurt. Open your mouth and you won't know

what hurt you." I knew that any movement on my part would be my death warrant. "Will you keep quiet if I take my hand from your mouth?"

mouth. I won't hurt you, for I know how to do these things. He evidently did, for I was very soon bound hand and foot, a gag placed in my mouth, and your humble servant was rendered as useless as a dead man. The convict then left me and disappeared. I had not been alone more than ten minutes, when I heard a voice near the berth head say, "All right."

ers. Not a sound did they make, for their irons were off, and the thought flashed quickly upon me our ship is in

Silently they went up the cabin stairs; shouts, yells, curses, then a few shots in quick succession; several splashes near my cabin deadlight; more shouts and

In vain I heard several voices pleading for mercy. But those men knew no mercy. Finally the shouts and yells ceased, then the quick, hurried tramp of feet overhead. **Presently** a step de-scends the stairs, the rope binding me was cut, the gag torn from my mouth, and a gruff voice said:

"Come, Steeraway, you are wanted on deck. Lively, now." I came to the conclusion that it was

board the Marathon for the purpose of aiding his friends, and, from the appearance of things, he had succeeded beyond his utmost expectations. As I emerged from the cabin, I was greeted with: "Here he is," by several of the striped-jacket gentry. "Now, Steeraway, we want you to mind and do just as we tell Jou - or what Joe Gosshawk, the Captain, tells you—and you won't be hurt; but if you don't, why overboard yon go. We know you can navigate; now which is it, shark's dinner or obey

orders?" Of course I didn't want to ease the appetite of the jet-finned wolves that were swimming around the ship. So I told them I would do all they wished; but I wanted to know what had become of the Captain and crew.

ask 'em what's done with 'em; all except that cussed first mate, Bolter, and we can't get no track of him, blast him," said Gosshawk, the recognized leader. I uttered a silent prayer that Bolter might be safe, stowed away somewhere out of their clutches. "Well Steeraway," says Gosshawk,

'where are we?" "About eighty miles from Van Die-man's Land." "Now, then," says he, "you just fix this ship so she will be more nor that ir twelve hours from now. Make her run north until I ask you again where we

or you'll find the bottom of Davy Jones I asked him then who would work the "Why, you just give the orders and these men will work her; and mind you

give them right."

"All right," said Gosshawk; "tell us the ropes." I explained to them and pointed out the braces. In ten minutes we were around and sailing almost due north. For days after, the old man kept re

here and there, torn clothing, the remnant of some desperate struggle, and the striped convict jackets and red coats of the English soldiers, were scattered

over the deck. 1 requested that the decks be cleared up and washed down, so that no vestige might greet my eyes of that terrible en-counter that had taken place the night before. At noon Gosshawk asked me where we were. I had just taken the sun, and found we were in 32 deg. south latitude and 173 deg. longitude east, all of which I correctly informed the convict skipper. "Ain't the Fijis about here some-

where?" he asked. "Yes, they are in 20 deg. latitude and 180 deg. longitude."
"Well, take us there, Steeraway, and

you are free to go in the long boat just as soon as we sight land. I'll take care of the Marathon myself, then." As we still had about 720 miles to the nor'ard to make and about 420 miles of longitude, I computed the sailing distance, and found there were about 1.140 miles to cover, which, deducting the difference from our actual course, would leave about 930 miles before we raised the Fijis. I reported the same to Gosshawk, who grunted anything but satisfaction. "No nearer than that? Well,

keep for the Fijis, anyhow."
So I kept her for the Fijis, and on the fourth day "Land, ho!" was shouted by one of the convicts who was stationed aloft. Gosshawk's eyes brightened up, and he turned to me, saying, "Well, done, Steeraway."

If I had only had my own way, I would have put them on a coral reef, but life is precious, you know, even to a sailor. As the Marathon neared the land, which proved to be one of the group, to the south ard, Gosshawk gave some orders in a low tone to several of the men. I knew what they were immediately, for the convicts began to cast off the lashings from the long boat. "So Gosshawk intends to keep his

promise," I thought to myself, and I was to be cast adrift in the long-boat. When within fifteen miles of land the preeze died away and the old Marathon lay almost motionless. Gosshawk swore, and stamped the deck, but to no purpose. Kind Providence paid no attention to him. About dusk the wind made its appearance, and I got ready to stand in. "Steeraway," said Gosshawk, "I guess you will have to make a voyage in the dark; but # can't be helped.'

The poat was lowered; two kegs of water, a bag of hard-tack, and three or four junks o salt horse were tossed in and I was told to follow suit. As I was cast adrift, the villains shouted after me: "Good-by, Steeraway, you have done us a good turn and we won't forgot it!" I made no reply, but sat in the sterr

of the boat gazing after the receding vessel. After looking at her for a few minutes I was overcome and bowed my head in my hands and wept. Just then a splash in the water near the boat aroused me. "A shark!" thought I. Again I heard it, and then a low voice as if from the deep: "Steeraway!" I sprung from my thwart as if struck by a galvanic shock. I strained my eyes and peered into the darkness. Presently I saw a dark form swimming

toward the boat. Again the voice came over the water: "Steeraway!" Beu here knows I am not superstitious, but I confess I did feel a little awe-stricken. Before I had time to collect my scattered thoughts, a hand was laid on the gunwale, and the form of a man arose from the sea. "It's Bolter, Joe; don't be frightened

-I'm no ghost !"

from the convicts.

which clung to me. "Oh, Bolter!" cried I, in a transport of joy. "For Heaven's sake, help me in the boat, Joe! I am mighty weak. Now where's the water? That outside the boat will do to swim in, but I can't drink

That short sentence broke the spell

Soon I had the water-keg to his lips. and he took a long draught.
"There! I never wanted water so bad but once before in my life; and this is what I call hard luck, Joe." I agreed with him on that score and

"Vhy, you see, Joe, I got an inkling of what was coming, but before I could get out of the cabin the rascals were down upon us. So I slipped into the secret locker under the transom, and they looked into every place but that. Luckily, the locker contained some canned meats and fruits, so there was no danger of my starving. I overheard that fellow's conversation—the one they called Gosshawk-and I knew, Steeraway, that you were safe. I also heard him tell his cut-throat comrades what he intended doing with you, when I heard your boat lowered. I peeped from my hiding-place, saw the cabin was clear, as they were all on deck to see you off. Soon as I heard the boat cast adrift I crawled through the stern window, hung by the frame for a minute or two, then dropped into the sea, swam after your boat, and here I am."

Bolter suddenly started up and cried out, "Look, Joe, if they have not set the ship on fire!" And so they had. Before they landed they had no doubt left two or three of their number to lash the wheel and apply the torch. The flames threw a lurid light over the ocean, and soon the whole outline in fire of the doomed Marathon could be seen. Heavy tongues of flame ran up the tarred rigging, and rolls of fire, like a cloud, would now and then burst forth, as the sails one after another were consumed. It was a magnificent sight, but a sorrowful one for us. We watched her until scarcely a spark could be seen; when, suddenly, like a flash, the faint light

disappeared and all that once remained of the Marathon went to the bottom. On the following morning we sighted an American whaler, which fortunately came near enough to see our signal of distress, and we were relieved from our uncomfortable position. Bolter and myself told the whaling skipper our story, when he at once made sail for Sydney, where the facts were laid before the English Consul, who took steps to capture the short-haired villains. This was successfully accomplished.

. A Boy Again.

Sometimes an old man becomes a boy again, though too smart to drop into his second childhood. An illustration of this pleasant tendency was given, not many months since, by an old man, with

several millions. He was in the habit of prowling around the office of the insurance company in which he was a Director. One morning as he was thus investigating, he hap nened to come across the dinner-pail of the office-boy. His curiosity led him to take off the cover. A slice of homemade bread, two doughnuts and a piece of apple-pie tempted the millionaire's ap petite. He became a boy again, and the ner-nail seemed the on

ried sixty years ago.

Just then the office-boy came in and surprised the old man eating the pie he had finished the bread and dough-"That's my dinner you're eating!"

exclaimed the boy, indignantly.

"Yes, sonny, I suspect it may be; but it's a first-rate one, for all that. I've not eaten so good a one for sixty years."
"There," he added, as he finished the pie, "take that and go out and buy yourself a dinner, but you won't get as good a one," and he handed the boy a \$5 bill.

ment of James Madison is quite in conrast with that of Jefferson. The country at of Madison is Montpelier, in Orange unty, Va., about four miles from Orge Station, on the Virginia Midland alroad, and about sixty miles from Monicello. Some minutes before the grand ld mansion is reached, the granite obeisk over Madison's grave is visible brough the fields half a mile to the right of the house. It is located in a large ield and inclosed with a substantial prick wall, quite 100 feet square and five feet in height. On the east there is a mall, plain iron gate, with the words in ron letters:

On the shaft, which is a graceful one, wenty feet high, resting on a redestal of four pieces, there is no other inscrip-ion than this, in large, plain, sunken etters on the width of the shaft at its

MADISON, BORN MARCH 16, 1751.

The date of his death, though he died at 85, is not cut in the granite. The grave is in excellent condition, and well taken care of by the present owner of Montpelier. By the side of the monument there is a smaller obelisk of marble over the grave of Mrs. Madison, whose accomplishments and virtues have come down to us from the republican court which she adorned at Washington in the days of the administration of President

Montpelier is in pleasant contrast with Monticello. Madison succeeded to it as a child, and it looks to-day more like one of those country seats in England which have been handed down from generation to generation than the former residence of the "expounder of the constitution." Though the scenery is not so grand nor so extensive as at Monticello. Montpelier is, nevertheless, a most at-Montpelier is, nevertheless, a most attractive place. The house is large and plain, though flanked with handsome columned porticos. "The region," says an old writer, "is one where nature has shed, in great beauty, the softest picturesque of hill and dale, forest and glade. At hand in the rear rises, as if to adorn the prospect with bolder contrasts, the gracefully wavering chain of the southwest mounts.

wavering chain of the southwest mountains, to fence on one side of the vale of Orange and Albemarle, on whose southeastern edge of nodding woods and green fields Montpelier lies embosomed and embowered, while on the other side, in the airy distance, beyond the vale, tower in fantastic lines the blue peaks of the long Apalachian range, breaking the horizon as if to form another and more fanci-

The Lost Well.

reverence as the gift of God. It is not, as some suppose, a vast flat region, but interspersed with mountains; rocks of vast size are as common as sand. No country is so difficult to traverse, for there are no landmarks; the only trace a caravan leaves is the bones of the horses or camels that die by the way. Those who travel the desert carry water and food enough to last them from well to well; and, if they lose the route, they all usually perish.

An old legend tells us that a certain tribe had found a well among the mountains, and around it they lived in perfect happiness. The summer months they passed on the banks of the Nile. It was so curiously hidden that it was impossible to find it except in this way: One of the tribe stayed all summer there, and on a certain day watched for the return of the others; they having arrived at a certain white, camel-shaped mountain, made a fire, and the watcher seeing this, built one on his mountain

built a fire, but no response was elicited; they waited, they sought for the path, but all in vain, and they were obliged to return to Egypt, losing from hunger and thirst a very large number of the tribe; the secret of the approach to the well had disappeared; it existed only in

Nearly 100 years passed, and a young man having escaped from the oppression of the chief, made his way into the mountains. He traveled three days in search of a well, wandering among the valleys; finally he was obliged to ascend a mountain of dazzling whiteness. He remembered the tradition-it was shaped like a camel. Looking there, he descried in the far distance what looked like the green tops of some palm trees. Toward these he pressed, almost over-come with heat, thirst and weariness. It was a beautiful spot; the palm trees had grown luxuriantly and tall; only an aged man resided here, surrounded with a species of antelope. He was the watcher who had been left. He had been unable to build the fire, having fallen from the rocks. Nor could be find the way out. Since then stones have been set up to mark the way.— Scholar's Companion.

A correspondent of the British Medisufficiently loose to easily breather through." This is really worth knowing for incessant sneezing is among the greatest of smaller ills, and it seems only a rational conclusion to hope that this simple plan may furnish the most efficient remedy against one of the most distressing symptoms of hay fever.

war, in 1865. He had served three years in the army, and participated in most of the great battles, escaping without a wound. While on the railroad on the way home a collision occurred. He was killed. He left a wife and two small was abusive to the children. by. The next morning he was found dead in a barn, half a mile away. He had shot himself through the heart,

NUMBER 44.

WHY DO I SING? BY MRS. LOU S. BEDFORD. Why do I sing? 'Tis hard to tell Why joyous notes my bosom swell; Why strains of music, wild and free, Gush forth in tuneful harmony, When, underneath a thin disguise, A sorrowing heart so often lies.

Why do I smile? Why, mirrored here, On brows so used to pain and care, Are gentle smiles that softly chase Each other o'er a care-worn face? The heart o'ercast with grief the while-And yet—'mid unshed tears I smile.

Why do I weep? Alas! these tears Cannot efface the stains of years; 'Tis grace alone can save, I know, And yet, 'fis well to let them flow; They soothe the griefs of life's dark hours, As sunlight smiles through April showers.

And then 'its written, "Jesus wept,"
Above the grave of one that slept,
While friends and loved ones gathered 'round
With softened tread the new-made mound;
That when thus pressed with grief and cares,
He found a sweet relief in tears.

Once in about eleven years, the sun completes a spot-cycle. Its commencement is marked by a period of great solar activity, when spots for two or three years are numerous and large upon its surface. These gradually disappear, and the sun remains more or less quiescent during the remainder of the time.

A new spot-cycle is now in full action. Portions of the huge blazing surface of the suu are dotted with spots. They throng the solar territories, appearing in rows, or groups, or more frequently the large spots are surrounded by families of small ones. They are of enormous dimensions. Some are so large that our whole globe might be rolled into the seeming cavern, and our largest continents would not cover others, while many are so small that they can be seen

only in telescopes of high power. Some of these spots will continue for months, others will quickly disappear, and others will break up into small ones, while new ones will more than fill the

central part, or umbra, is black; the border, or penumbra, is usually of a grayish tint; and, surrounding the spots for thousands of miles, the sun's surface seems to be piled into ridges, dotted with groups of small shining spots, called faculæ, from a Latin word meaning 'small torches."

The wisest astronomers cannot tell with certainty the cause of sun-spots, or give a reason for the occurrence of the outbreak once in eleven years. It is well-established that there is an inti mate relation between sun-spots and terrestrial magnetism. It is strongly affirmed that the disturbed condition of the sun at this period is reflected on the earth in northern lights, waves of intense heat, and storms of unusual severity. The devastating tornadoes and

aid to support this theory.

A fascinating field of observation is thus laid open before intelligent observers. Three things are to be watched for, the occurrence of great storms, the approach of a heat wave, and the apearance of the northern lights. Clearpearance of the northern lights. Clear-headed observers can work at these problems even if they are not trained astronomers; for, if ever the cause of sun-spots and the reason of their periodicity are made clear, the work will be

ued observation,

Jewish Tolerance, The other day a Jewish minister—not in New York city—was sharply reprimanded by his congregation for his persistent attacks on Christianity. We are plaud heartily their action; not only be cause Christianity is the religion of the large majority of citizens of our country, but because there are other and weightier subjects to engage a Jewish minister's attention. Constant assaults by the Jewish press and pulpit on the beliefs and traditions of Christianity show poor taste and tact, and may lead to results which friends of religious liberty would deeply regret. There is such a quality as "journalistic loudness," which may react as unfavorably as "social loudness" on the community. When Judaism is assailed, let us repel the accusation and then cease. At least, let not the Jew, in the pulpit or press, show a spirit of bigotry and intolerance toward his neighbor of another creed, which sprang from the covered to the pulpit of the pulpit or press, show a spirit of bigotry and intolerance toward his neighbor of another creed, which sprang from the pulpit of the pulpit our own and may return to it again. Of all men, the Jew should be the most tolerant, for he has suffered the worst

Messenger.

Newly-Painted Rooms. ceased slept. The lead, being fixed and non-volatile, cannot in these cases be accused of being the offending ele-

The Farmer as a Citizen. I think the influence of agriculturists

ought to be increased in public affairs. I would not like to see a Legislature com-posed exclusively of farmers and me-chanics, nor would it be for the public good that there should be no representatives of these in that body. There should be in every Legislature men skilled in the laws of the State; there ought also to be there an influential body of men connected with the leading in-dustries of the State, familiar with the wants and wishes of the great mass of the people. If they should draft no laws, if they should inaugurate no new and untried policies, still there would be that in the very atmosphere in which such a body of men move which will in-fluence beneficially the action of the Legislature.—Judge George Starkville,

Tea and Coffee.

What can parents be thinking of when other, Foolish pride has a great deal to do with it and to answer for,

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ker's movements.

preferred to keep still. I lay awake some time after turning in; but my eyes finally grew heavy, and I was in the land of dreams—away off

was held before them. I knew the reason then pretty quick, I assure you, for Barker held it.

I nodded my head in the affirmative, and his hand was removed. "Now, Steeraway," says he, "I am going to tie you and put a little stopper in your

In a moment more, a light draught of air entered my stateroom, and it smelt strongly of pent-up air-a sert of convict odor, so to speak.

The bulkhead had been removed and the cabin was soon crowded with prison-

their hands, may the Lord have mercy on our crew. then I heard a quick rushing sound,

"Down with them! Now or never!" No Van Dieman's for us! Down with them , '

useless to deliberate, and I obeyed the order at once. It was not necessary for me to ask what the matter was. I knew that well enough, at a glance. Barker—that scoundrel Barker—was an escaped convict, and had shipped on

"You'd better swim after them and

are.' "And mind you don't play any points,

"Then brace around the yards," replied I, "so I can get her on the other tack." When day broke my heart almost sank within me. The deck presented a sickening sight. Pools of clotted blood ferring to the first-class dinner he had eaten from the boy's pail.

MADISON, 1820.

Madison.

In the Sahara desert only a few wells are found; they are looked upon with

thus were they guided to the oasis.

At one time the tribe returned and

asked him to tell me how he escaped tradition.

To Cure Fits of Sneezing. cal Journal says: "During the recent rapid changes of temperature I caught a severe cold in my head, a companied by a most incessant sneezing. My unfortunate nose gave me no rest. The slightest impact of cold air, or passing from the outside air into a warm room, equally brought on a fit of sneezing. In vain I snuffed camphor and pulsa tilla; the light catarrh still triumphed over me. At length I resolved to see what the maintenance of a uniform temperature would do toward diminishing the irritability of my Schneiderian membrane, and accordingly I plugged my nostrils with cotton wool. The effect was instantaneous. I sneezed no more. Again and again I tested the efficacy of this simple remedy, always with the same result. However near I was to a sneeze, the introduction of the pledgets stopped it at once. Nor was there any inconvenience from their presence, making them sufficiently firm not to tickle, and yet leaving them

Two Children's Suicide. Thos. Crowl, of Beaver county, Pa., was

discharged with his regiment from the

United States service at the close of the

children. The widow subsequently married Jared Williams. The stepfather Three years ago one of them, a girl 16 years old, was turned out of doors by him, after being beaten. She drowned herself in a stream near by. The other child was a son, named Peter. He was so badly treated by his stepfather that he quit home and obtained a situation. Williams carried his persecution of the boy to his place of employment. Not long ago he succeeded in having Peter discharged from his place. The boy re-turned home and bade his mother good-

The Grave of Madison. The condition of the grave and monu-

I sing—the siren voice of song Bears my enchanted soul along The stream of time to that bleet shore Where mortal cares are felt no more; And heaven itself were not complete Vithout the sound of music sweet.

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I smile, because to nature true; Like gleams of sunshine breaking through The rifted clouds, when storms are past; Though soft white clouds still overcast The azure sky, to cheer the scene Bright rays of sunlight burst between

deserted places, and give variety to the ever-changing exhibition.

Sun-spots, seen through the telescope, present a very curious appearance. The

cyclones at the West, and the display of auroral light in Scottish skies, lend their

accomplished by close and long-contin-

from the intolerance of others.—Jewish

The danger of inhaling the vapor of turpentine has been long known, and its pernicious influence on the health is beyond all doubt, as has been verified in several cases occurring in persons sleeping in newly-painted rooms, some of which have even proved fatal. Several theories, more or less plausible, have been propounded to explain the preju-dicial effects of the inhalation of these vapors; but, whatever be the correct explanation, there is no doubt of the danger of occupying a room recently painted in which turpentine has been em-ployed, before complete desiccation has taken place. It was pointed out by the Council of Hygiene, that a sudden death which recently happened in Paris was attributable to this cause, it being shown that it could not be ascribed to the lead which entered into the composition of the paint of the room in which the de-

they give tea and coffee to their chil dren? A noted physician, turning his attention to this subject, found that children so fed only grew four pounds per annum between the ages of 13 and 16, while those who got milk night and morning grew fifteen pounds each year. This deteriorated physique of tea-and-coffee-fed children, as seen in their lessened power to resist disease, is noto rious among the medical men of factory districts. It is not the mere difficulty of procuring milk which prompts the adoption of a tea dietary. The convenience of it is one allurement, while the idea of feeding their children like those of the better classes around is an-

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Lake Shore Daily News, Nov. 26.]

STATE ITEMS.

has moved to Chicago.

killed near Pontiac, recently.

A candidate for matrimony at Mus-

kegon was so nervous that when asked

the solemn question, "Will you take

this woman to be your lawful and wed-

ded wife?" he replied, "You bet your

Robert H. Morrison, the once noted

treasurer of the I.O.O.F., seems to be

in bad luck. Not long since he was

charged with forging checks in Iowa,

and last week his wife. obtained a di-

vorce from him in the St. Joseph coun-

Reading Notices.

haby "Pinafore," probably because she never—What? Well, comparatively

seldom was without Dr. Thomas' Ec-

lectric Oil, which is the only remedy

that has such wonderful cures for

whooping cough, diphtheria, colds,

burns, wounds, sores, hurts, &c. For

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benefit I have received from the use

of one of the wonders of the world,

that is, Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. I

was one of the greatest sufferers for

about fifteen months with a disease of

my ear similar to Ulcers, causing en-

tire deafness. I tried everything that

could be done through medical skill,

but without relief. As a last resort, I

tried the Eclectric Oil, and in ten min-

utes found relief. I continued using

it, and in a short time my ear was

cured and hearing completely restored.

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of the lungs, sore throat, coughs and

colds, cuts and bruises, &c.; in fact, it

is our family medicine. For sale by

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Quick Cure for Liver Diseases.

When the liver ceases to perform

properly its functions the whole sys-

tem becomes deranged and disease fol-

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most astonishing. If you are afflicted

with Stomach or Liver disorders try

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But the doctrine is too communistic

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Prices, 50 cents, and trial bottles 10

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ly afflicted with Liver complaint. My

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nighly spoken of, I thought I would

ry it. I am glad I did, for though I

had to take nearly three bottles of it,

it has thoroughly cured me. I should

like to take some back with me. What

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capital pacificator when you come

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er members of the family have Bilious

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ing degree, and from which I could get

no relief. The pads cured me entirely

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See advertisement elsewhere. For sale

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they have never returned. For the en-

closed one dollar send me a pad to have "handy in the house." See ad-

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the most exhausted body and reani-

mate the most prostrate organization

Mothers! Mothers!! Mothers!!!

broke of your rest by a sick child suf-

fering and crying with the excruciat-

ing pain of cutting teeth? If so, go at

once and get a bottle of Mrs. Win-

slow's Soothing Syrup. It will relieve

the poor little sufferer immediately-

depend upon it; there is no mistake

about it. There is not a mother on

earth who has ever used it, who will

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JOHN G. HOLMES, Editor.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1880. The reduction of the public debt for

November was \$3,609,261. Up to December there had been 72,-847,750 of the standard dollars coined.

Five dollar gold pieces of 1880 are becoming quite common as a circulat-

Senator Lamar, of Mississippi, is in such feeble health as to render him unable to attend to his duties in the

The Irish question is getting well along toward a fight that is evidently approaching, if there is anything in the signs of the times.

A Chinese giant measuring eight feet and six inches in height, and said to be the tallest man in the world, has arrived in New York.

Gold coin comes to this country from Europe faster than it can be coined at the mints. About half a million dollars per day is the rate at which it reaches this country. .

10,000 schools, 21,000 teachers, 265,000 scholars in average attendance, a school fund of \$2,500,000, and gives 80,000 Republican majority.

There are a few ex-Rebel soldiers in the offices of Congress, placed there by the Democrats, who will step down and out next term, "and don't you forget

Philp, Hart. Byrne and Post, the writer and publishers of the Morey letter, have been indicted for criminal libel. The penalty is imprisonment in the penitentiary for one year, and \$250

Another and more extensive exodus of the colored people from Louisiana and Alabama is setting in. They do not propose to stay there and peaceably submit to the outrages practiced upon them for political effect.

An amendment to the constitution, making the term of office of the President six and of Congressmen three years, is proposed by a House resolution of Tuesday. It provides that the President shall be ineligible for a second term immediately succeeding his

The Chicago Inter-Ocean notes as a remarkable fact that the men whom the Republican party has elected President have all been of humble origin, and have become distinguished by their own exertions—the rail-splitter. the tanner, the tailor, the farmer, and the canal driver.

The foreign coin and bullion received at the mints and assay offices of the United States for the past year amounted in value to \$61,627,556; the bullion product of American mines deposited during the same period was of the aggregate value of \$35,821,705, being nearly three millions less than for the preceding year.

Commissioner Raum in his report expresses the opinion that the tax on spirituous and malt liquors, and tobacco, snuff and cigars is sufficient for the purposes of revenue, and recommends the reduction or abolition of the other internal taxes.

Governor elect Jerome is taking great pains to acquaint himself with the various public institutions in the State before entering upon his official duties, visiting each of them and getting acquainted with the several managers and the details of each, that he may best know the needs of each.

There appears from the first to be a marked determination in Congress to make some kind of an attack upon the greenback. Senator McDonald, Dem., from Indiana, opened the ball Tuesday by a bill to subject them to State taxation. The people want nothing done with them excepting just as is promised: Pay them off according to contract, and in no other way.

The gist of the reports of the heads of the departments on the subject is contained in the question, Is it not time for the United States Government to spend a portion of its attention to the protection of the election of members of its Congress, rather than leave those elections to be carried by bulldozing and intimidation? This is the question now most important in the mind of every true lover of the best republic that ever existed.

There is a chance for discussion of the recommendation of President Hayes to destroy the legal tender quality of the government notes. Those notes were issued and accepted in their present form as legal tenders, and to withdraw that quality at this or any other time would be simply changing the contract without the consent of the most directly interested party, the holder. There is but one way to manage those notes, and that is to pay them up and cancel them entirely, thus withdrawing the government from the banking business, and the proper thing for Congress to do is to provide for such payment at the earli-

est practicable moment. The French Government is in a dilemma as to how it shall stop the flow of gold from their treasury to the United States, and threatening them with an unhealthy stringency. They find, since the resumption of specie payment in this country, that they cannot pay for our cotton and grain with American securities, but must shell out the coin. One means to the desired end proposed by the House of Deputies is to increase the rate of discount at the Bank of France, and another dangerous, if not fatal plan of issuing an additional amount of paper currency. There appears but one sure way out, and that is to buy less cotton and wheat, and sell more wine and silks. I troit.

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The Vermont legislature has passed "nuisance bill," making any place of resort where liquor is sold or given away, or where gambling is allowed, a public nuisance, and providing for the closing of such place, and punishing the keeper by a fine of from \$20 to \$200, and imprisonment for three

Hillsdale appears to be blessed with set of bullheads for a school board. The teachers in the public schools in that place have been without pay for three months, and now school is closed because the board refuses to furnish wood to keep the building warm. The fool killer is needed in Hillsdale. Politics is the trouble.

President Hayes, in his last annual message delivered to Congress last Monday, condemns the southern methods of false counts, fraud, and other illegal means of keeping that section solid, in the most unmistakable terms, and calls upon Congress to provide means for its investigation and punishment. He endorses the recommendation of Secretary Sherman on the coinage, and recommends the destruction of the legal tender quality of the government notes. He asks Congress to make General Grant Captain General of the army. Recommends connecting this country with Asia by a cable, a different form of government for Utah and the suppression of polygamy, besides various other important Iowa has over 4,000 school districts, matters relating to our government management.

> On December 31, six per cent. bonds to the amount of \$11,255,000 become due, and on July 1, \$710,550 more six per cents fall due, and at the same time \$201,556,000 six per cent. bonds are redeemable, and on May 1, \$469,651,-000 five per cents are also redeemable. This makes \$213,521,550 sixes and \$469,651,000 fives payable or redeema-

ble within the next seven months. These bonds must be redeemed in low interest bonds at that time or the government be obliged to continue paying the present high rate of interest on the entire amount until payment can be made of the bonds. There is a bill now before Congress to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to issue long time bonds at 3 or 312 per cent. interest for the redemption of those sixes and fives. This, if done, will place the debt entirely out of the reach of the government until the 412 per cents become due, Sept. 1, 1891. To avoid this and what appears better than the provisions of the bill now before Congress, Secretary Sherman, in

his annual report just issued, recommends that provision be made for the issue on an amount not exceeding \$400,000,0000 of Treasury notes, in denominations not less than \$10, bearing annum, and running from one to ten years, to be sold at not less than par, the amount maturing during any one year not to exceed the sinking fund for that year, and the proceeds to be applied to the payment of 5 and 6 per cent. bonds, maturing in 1881.

It is also recommended that authority be given to sell at par an amount not exceeding \$400,000,000 of bonds of the character and description of the 4 per cent. bonds of the United States now outstanding, but bearing a rate of interest not exceeding 3 61-100 per cent, per annum, and redcemable at the pleasure of the United States after fifteen years, the proceeds to be applied to the payment of bonds redeemable on or before July 1, 1881. Though the amount of the two classes of securities recommended no more can be sold than the bonds to be redeemed exceeds the amount of bonds to be redeemed, while the alternative authorized will permit a limited discretion lars as given by the Republican are as to sell the securities most favorable to | follows: the government. With the authority thus recommended, it is believed that the department can within a year redeem all the 5 and 6 per cent. bonds now outstanding, and thus reduce the interest of the public debt \$12,000,000 per annum, and leave the debt in a form most favorable for gradual payment by the application of the sinking

Secretary Sherman's report makes the following objection and recommendation regarding the standard sil-

fund without cost or premium.

"Notwithstanding these efforts, it is found to be difficult to maintain in circulation more than 35 per cent. of the amount coined. While at special seasons of the year, and for special purposes, this coin is in demand, mainy in the South, it returns again to the Treasury, and its reissue involves an expense for transportation at an average rate of one-third of 1 per cent. each time. Unlike gold coin or United States notes, it does not, to the same extent, form a part of the permanent circulation, everywhere acceptable, and, when flowing into the Treasury, easily paid out with little or no cost of transportation. The reasons for this popular discrimination against

1. It is too bulky for large transactions, and its use is confined mainly to payments for manual labor and for market purposes or for change. The amount needed for these purposes is already in excess of the probable de-

mand. 2 It is known to contain a quantity of silver of less market value than the gold in gold coin. This fact would not impair the circulation of such limited amount as experience shows to be convenient for use, but it does prevent its being held or hoarded as reserves, or exported, and pushes it into active circulation, until it returns to the Treasury, as the least valuable and de-

sirable money in use. For these reasons the Secretary respectfully but earnestly recommends that the further compulsory coinage of the silver dollar be suspended, or, as an alternative, that the number of grains of silver in the dollar be increased so as to make it equal in market value to the gold dollar, and that its coinage be left as other coinage to the Secretary of the Treasury or the Director of the Mint, to depend upon the goods, which he added to his already tion of one of the oldest and best fe venient circulation."

There comes from Hastings a report that John Gillispie, a prominent man of Prairieville, Barry county, was killed while hunting rabbits, Sunday last. A comrade's gun was accidentally discharged as they were going through the brush, and the charge struck Gillispie in the back.—Evening News.

Mrs. Jane Fox has just been awarded \$3,000 damage by the Wayne circuit court for injuries received by reason of a defective sidewalk in DeADDITIONAL LOCALS.

SOUTH BEND, Laporte, Michigan City, Niles, Mishawaka, Elkhart and Goshen are to be connected by telephone. The Bell Telephone Company can put one of these machines up in the RECORD office just as quick as they wish, to connect with that list. Buchanan wants to take a hand in that scheme, sure. A connection with all of the towns in this county would please better, however; but once started the other connections will soon swing into line.

THE first fire in the narrow guage locomotive was built last Thursday afternoon, and the ocomotive and cars run down to the engine house, about a mile. The imposing and wonderful ceremony was witnessed by a large number, and if there was a square foot of space about the train or engine that didn't have a boy on it, it was because that square foot was either covered by a man or bottom up.

THE Ladies' Home Mission Band, which was regularly organized on Monday afternoon, will meet on Friday afternoon of this week at the residence of Dr. Berrick. All ladies interested in aiding the poor children of our village are requested to meet with this society. Contributions, in the way of clothing, or money with which to buy goods to convert into clothing, are solicited, and can be left with Mrs. M. Frame at her millinery store. Any reports concerning those in need may also be left with Mrs. Frame, and such cases will be duly considered and help be given. Now is the time when aid is needed; let all who can, lend a helping hand in this direction.

SATURDAY morning was considerable of a time for telling experiences in this town. Burglars entered George McNeil's house Friday night by a parlor window, and carried off Mrs. Mc-Neil's gold watch and chain, valued at about \$100, and \$25 in money from George's pocket. They visited Dr. Berrick's house to the tune of about \$25. Eugene Howe's experience with them cost him a hat and some change. They entered Mrs. Dr. Anderson's house, but she awoke, and by making a noise frightened them away. Mr. P. N. Weaver's people heard an unusual disturbance about their house, but no damage was done. Taken all together it was rather a lively night, although neither of those who lost knew anything of their visitors until morning.

Council Proceedings.

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, Present-J. D. Ross, President; B.

Harper, Recorder: Trustees Day Mowrey and Powers. The President stated the object of the meeting to be to take into consideration the building of a proper place in which to dry the hose belonging to the fire department of the village, and for the transaction of such other business as might come before the Council. The matter of erecting a tower in which to dry the hose, was discussed by the members present, when it was moved by Mr. Mowrey, supported by the Recorder, that the matter be referred to the committee on Waterworks, with power to take such steps as that committee may deem for the best interests of the village, and the

motion was adopted. The President appointed Trustee Day as a member of the committee on Waterworks, to fill vacancy in said Moved by the Recorder, supported

by Mr. Powers, that the Common Council adjourn. Adopted. B. D. HARPER, Recorder.

THE report of the shooting match in Niles proved to be true. The particu-

"About half past nine Wednesday night, December 1, two men masked and with drawn revolvers, walked into the jewelry store of Lapierre & Micks, on Main street. Mr. Micks was behind the counter, just to the left of the front door as you enter, and Mr. LaPierre was in the back room, sitting at the bench at work. One of them, who gives his name as Pat Molane, covered Micks with his revolver, and the other, whose name is not known, walked through the store to where LaPierre was at work, leveled 10 cents. his revolver at his head and told him to come on and make no noise. Mr. LaPierre could do nothing but obey orders, and marched to the front of the store, behind the counter, to where Mr. Micks was standing guarded by Molane, the evident intention of the robbers being to get the two men together where the revolver of one could hold them both, while the other would rob the store. When LaPierre and his guard came up to where Micks was standing, the latter grabbed the burglar's pistol hand, and the two, in their scuffle, gradually worked their way back to the door of the work-room, when the burglar gave Micks a heavy jerk that loosed his grip and sent him

whirling into the back room. During this scuffle between Micks and the unknown burglar, Molane turned his eyes from LaPierre and was watching his 'pal' and Micks, doubtless with the intention of shooting the latter, but was deterred from firing through fear of hitting his "pal" instead of Micks. As soon as Malone's eyes were turned from him, LaPierre, quick as wink, opened the money drawer, took out his revolver and opened fire. He fired five times, two balls taking effect in Molane, one in the breast and one in the shoulder. Molane fired twice at LaPierre, but

without hitting him. At this both intruders left the store." Malone was captured, and came so near dying that he gave directions to send word to his mother; but he is since improving, and uncomfortably quiet. His partner made good his

ITEMS FROM HILL'S CORNERS. School prospering finely and the at-

tendance is very large. W. J. Hanover visited the city of Chicago last week, and returned with quite a stock of boots, shoes, and dry ant to the taste, and is the prescripdemand for it by the public for con- well supplied collection of groceries.

male physicians and nurses in the About seventy of the neighbors of Gotlieb Hagley surprised him on the 1st inst., it being the forty-first anniversary and Mrs. Hagley's birthday. Charles McCracken and wife entertained a few of their friends on last Tuesday night, and treated them to a

splendid oyster supper. Svlvester Smith recently returned from the north woods, and reports the lumber business booming. Milton Morley is kept quite busy

treating horses for the epizootic, which is a prevailing disorder in this vicinity. H. Wright and wife have returned from their trip to Kansas. J. at twenty-five cents a box everywhere. the post office room.

Thousands of ladies to-day cherish grateful remembrances of the help de-A white boy about thirteen years rived from the use of Lydia E. Pink old, named Will Rowe, stabbed John ham's Vegetable Compound. It posi-Bell, a colored boy, in the back, with a tively cures all female complaints. jack knife. The wound was dressed Send to Mrs. Lydia E. Pinkham, 233 by Dr. Webster. It is not considered Western Avenue, Lynn, Mass., for dangerous. It seems that Rowe shot a pamphlets. mud hen and Bell got it and would

not give it up. At this Rowe drew his knife and stabbed Bell in the back The Lion Malaria and Liver Pad. A Cheap Cure for Chills and Fever. just below his shoulder blade. Bell. Don't suffer with Chills and Fever or Malaria when you can be cured for one dollar by the Lion Malaria and Liver Pad and Body and Foot Plasters. not to be behind, picked up a brickbat and knocked Rowe down and pounded him. Two young lads pulled Bell off and took him up to the drug store. This treatment not only draws the poison out of the stomach and liver. The whole combined treatment, Pad, Body and Foot Plasters, for one dollar. For sale by druggists. Jon. C. W. Clisbee, of Cassopolis,

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Heaths.

A little daughter of Willard Stearns, of Adrian, tried to lick the snow from Died. Dec. 3 1880, of Diphtheria, EMMA, daughter of William and Julida Dalrymple, aged an iron pump handle the other morning when the mercury was below zero, 15 years and 3 days. and lost a good portion of her tongue

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Salt, fine, per barrel, selling
Salt, coarse, per barrel, selling
Beans, per bushel
Wood, 18 inch, per cord
Wood, 4 feet, per cord
Butter, per pound
Eggs, per dozen
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GTATE OF MIGHIGAN, County of Berrien, ss.—

D Probate Court for said County.—At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate office, in the village of Berrien Springs, on Monday, the sixth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

Present, ALEXANDER B. LEEDS, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Jesse Frame, deceased

David E. Hinman, Administrator of said estate, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such adminprepared to render his final account as such administrator.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the third day of January next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, 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, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed: And it is further ordered, that said administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of heaving. day of hearing.
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On reading and fling the petition, duly verified, of Harriet E. Love, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to herself or some other suitable person.
Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the third 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 in the Probate office, in the village of Berrien Springs, and show cause, if any there be, why he 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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KEEP your sidewalks clean.

GIRLS, don't forget that it is leap year yet.

MERRY CHRISTMAS two weeks from next Saturday.

CORNER lots are the things these cold, breezy mornings. ----

THE preparation of Christmas trees will soon be in order. RELIGIOUS meetings have been held

at the Oak Street Advent Chapel every day this week. MRS. EMMA HAYES, of Rankin, Ill.

is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cox. of this place. Dr. Beistle returned last Friday

the past six weeks. FISHERMEN have been taking some fine pickerel from the lake at Dayton

from Pennsylvania, where he has been

the past week. DR. BAKER sat down on the curb-

morning. Icy. MR. FREEMAN FRANKLIN has been confined to his home with rheumatism

the past week or more. Mr. GEORGE SMITH has bought a

house and lot near the depot on Portage street, paying \$200 for it. THE youngest child of Mr. and Mrs

John Cartis, of this place, died yesterday morning, of scarlet fever. THE Matilda Scott-Paine Opera com-

pany gave an entertainment in Rough's opera house last evening.

A NEW advertisement appears at the head of this column. You may find it to your interest to read it.

THE five-year-old boy who does not sport eigarettes is clear below the common grade of Americanism.

BURGLARS Were around again Sunday night trying Sanford Smith's and A. M. Weaver's houses. Nothing lost.

A COUPLE of "pedestrinating tourists" have been keeping the Engine house warm the past few days and

MR. J. W. FANCHER sports one of the finest cutters in town. It was made by the Rough Brothers' wagon

MR. D. V. BROWN and wife, of St. Charles, Mich., have been visiting the sisters of Mr. Brown, in this place for

the past week. A HEAVY rain Saturday night carried off all of our snow, but Monday and Tuesday replaced it, and sleighs

run again.

Howe.

news dealer's.

SCHOOL will close two weeks from to-morrow for the holiday vacation. The next term will commence with the

It is wonderful how the mill yards have filled up the past month, considering the fact that the lumber was all cut in this vicinity long ago.

THE Michigan Central Company tested their new iron bridge at Niles last week. It stood the test satisfactorily, and is now in regular use.

THE St. Joseph Republican (Dem.,) arises to announce that it is in favor of the re-election of Andrew J. Smith to the office of Judge of this Circuit.

MR. THOMAS F. BARNES, of this place, was married last evening to Miss Jennie V. Best. The ceremony was performed by Dr. F. H. Berrick.

DR. SMITH, of Middlebury, Ind., has sold his property in that place and talks of locating in Buchanan. The doctor is a brother of Mrs. Sarah

A Bay City man hadn't any better manners than to jerk a newspaper away from another man, and he got licked right then and there.—Evening | it is probable that they will get a

THE Nursey is the name of the brighest magazine for little folks that reaches this office. Subscription price is \$1.50, or 15 cents per copy at the

Dr. Dodd received a rather lively shaking up yesterday morning. He was driving along at the head of Day's avenue, at a pretty lively gait, when his cutter runner struck the narrow gauge railroad at one side of the crossing, and threw him out into the snow. He held to the lines and stopped his port he will be suitably paid for his ling agents and cause their apprehenhorse. No damage done.

According to the News there was a little revolver drawing between two limbs of the law, in St. Joseph, Monday morning, but no blood letting. Dangerous playthings.

COMPLAINT is made in various parts of the State of vegetables being frozen in the cellars. In this vicinity they did not get as far as the cellar, but are still in the field.

This is not the only place where there is difficulty experienced in obtaining coal for fuel. Reports come of a great dearth of all kinds of fuel in the northwest.

This looks like pretty tough weather for building new railroads, but the employes of the St. Joseph Valley Company are at work at the remnants of grading not finished.

G. R. HALL has a new advertisement in this paper that it will be to your advantage to read before selecting your holiday presents. He is the agent for the cheapest book publishing house in America.

JOE LATTUS, a Pole of South Bend, has been tried and found guilty of voting twice at the October election, and will pay the penalty behind the graies. He voted the Democratic ticket both times.

MR. O. A. E. BALDWIN, of Bridgman, has been appointed D. D. G. W. C. T. of Berrien county, by G. W. C. T. Chas. P. Russell, of Detroit. Those who

know their letters quite well will know just what all of this means. FRANK KING, of Niles, while in the employ of I.C. Stephens, in turning the meat cutting machine, caught his hand in the cogs of the machine and

crushed his fingers quite badly. Look out for your stove pipes and chimneys, and be sure they are secure. A house on fire is an uncomfortable state of affairs this cold weather. An insurance policy in a good company is

a comfortable thing to have, too. IT is seldom that the fight for a post office waxes quite as warm as has the present one in Benton Harbor. There are five candidates, and the way of deciding between them is to be by an

A LARGE number in this place are getting tired of the state of the wood market and are putting up coal stoves. That is just about the state of affairs in this establishment, and we expect stone in front of the Bank. Saturday to run one or two coal stoves next

election by the patrons of the office.

THERE was a Presbyterian social at Mr. Samuel French's residence Tuesday evening. The guests were treated to ice cream. Rather a cool refreshment for this kind of weather, we should judge. They had good warm fires to eat it by, however.

THE way they do law business at St. Joseph, and at the same time tie up the tongue of scandal, is to take testimony in a divorce case in a closed room and make the witnesses swear they will never tell what they have been asked or have answered. If there is a person on earth who surpasses all others in desiring to suppress scandal it is one who acts as participant in a nasty divorce case.—Evening News.

TANK KEE .- This lecturer delivered his lectures on China and the Chinese, in this place last Friday, Saturday and Sunday evenings. His lecture is one of considerable interest and instruction. Thus far in the season Buchanan has been furnished with a good class of entertainments, but they have all complained of having had slim audiences here.

WE call attention to Harper Brothers' advertisement of the Bazar, in this paper. We are prepared to receive subscriptions for either of their S4 publications when taken with the RECORD, for \$5, for both of the papers, or we will receive orders for any book published by Harper Brothers at the

Ir is a little curious to note how many people in this place sleep with revolvers in bed with them lately, to be prepared for burglars. Half of them would be scared grey if the cat happened to turn over and snore, and would forget that there was ever a revolver in the house if a burglar did

THE Michigan Central carpenters have the bridge at the freight house about completed, and will have it ready for use in a short time. Shippers of grain have been obliged to unload their grain into the cars instead of into the freight house, while the building has been going on.

Ir reports are true the editor of the Benton Harbor Expositor got himself into hot water by telling about the Graham divorce case, that is creating considerable of a stench in that place. Three of the parties called upon him with warlike intentions, but went away perfectly satisfied with their experience. Wonderful how quick some people get mad when their nastiness is exposed, as it should be.

THE burglars who went through this place last Friday night visited Michigan City the Tuesday before and stole, among other things, a watch and chain. The man who lost these came to Niles and found his goods with Crocker Brown, Brown having bought them of one of the fellows who are now in jail at Berrien Springs, before his arrest or suspicion. Brown had sold the chain but got it back and delivered both to their owner. The evidence against these chaps is pretty convincing, and

steady job for the State. THE brakeman on the way freight coming from Niles the night of the so near as we can learn they are the shooting affray, tells of a farmer who ones who have been dealing in insurrode from Decatur and represented | ance policies on the lives of old people, that he lived about three miles from | who are morally certain to die within this place. The officers request that a short time. This town has been canthis man will report to Marshal Hathaway, and give such description as he ing to issue policies on such persons, may be able of the man who came aboard | and we are sorry to say that a few the train at Niles, and was supposed there are who have been foolish enough to be the one who was interested in to invest. It is a swindle on the comthe attempted robbery of the jewelry pany if on no one else, and the proper store and escaped. If he will so re- thing to do is to inform on the swind-

JAS. A. AND J. F. BOYER have been building a good sized house on Alexander street, and so arranged it as to accommodate two families. One of the brothers has returned to Pennsylvania after the families of himself and brother, to return in the spring. The men are thrifty, industrious men, carpenters by trade, and just the kind of citizens wanted to settle here.

The Berrien County

SHERIFF STAMP, of Cass county protested against the payment of the \$500 reward offered for the arrest and conviction of the murderer of Billy Young, to marshal Hathaway, of this place, claiming that the reward belonged to him, but his protest did not hinder the supervisors from paying over the reward. Stamp has now brought suit against that county for the collection of that reward. He will probably get beaten in that game.

FIRE.-Mr. Wm. Coveney's house with all of its contents, with the exception of a small amount of bedding was burned on Sunday morning. The fire originated from a defective flue in the kitchen. The children were in bed at the time, and were barely saved with their night clothes, all of their others being burned. \$500 will hardly cover the loss. Insurance is a pretty convenient thing to have under such circumstances, but unfortunately Mr. Coveney had none.

DURING the first six days of December of each year the department requires all post masters to keep an account of all parcels sent out by them in order to form a basis from which to estimate the amount carried by the railroads and for other purposes. The count at the office in this place shows that 4,733 parcels were sent out during that time an average of 788 per day. The post master informs us that this is one of the lightest weeks of the whole

FOLLOWING is a list of officers elected at the meeting of Dayton Grange, last Saturday evening:

David Salisbury, Master. Mr. Becker, Overseer. A. Potter, Lecturer. George Holmes, Steward. Levi Batton, Assistant Steward. Willie Foster, Chaplain. Joseph Willard, Treasurer. Daniel Holmes, Secretary. John Sheldon, Gate Keeper. Mrs. D. Best, Ceres.

Mrs. Becker, Pomona.

Mrs. Willie Foster, Flora.

Mrs. D. Salisbury. Stewardess.

THE Mirror this week publishes a table showing the number and kinds of business houses in Niles in 1850 and in 1880, and finds there were then 159 now; 9 shoe stores to 4 now; 13 law offices to 17 now; 2 machine shops to 1 now, besides other changes. The Mirror does not appear to be pleased with the showing, and we cannot blame it. Niles was then the center of trade for twenty-five miles around, but is not now. At that time Buchanan people went to Niles to do their trading, now they can do better at home. People living west and northwest and northeast of here at that time went to Niles to trade, and now they come to Buchanan. It makes ail of the difference in the world with a town whether it holds the business or not. Another noticeable thing is that where dry goods stores go down, wet goods stores spring up and prosper. Men with capital like to settle in a live town where the business men are alive to their interests and their town's, and just such a place is Buchanan. We have no very good water power here, but have enough water to make all of the steam any one will ever want, and invite

people to come here to use it, promis-

ing to treat them well and make them

feel welcome if they are worthy of it.

WE hear considerable complaint of parties in this place that their taxes are too high, some of them being nearly double what they were last year, with the same property. Others do not complain because their taxes are less than before. Our school tax should be less, there being about \$200 less to raise. The State tax should be less, there being between \$8,000 and \$9,000 less for this county to raise than last year. While the highway tax should be more, it having been voted to raise \$2,000 this year, when only \$600 was raised last year. Those who are interested can figure it out. We suppose the supervisor has. As we have not seen the last year's roll we have been unable to make comparisons, except in our own case. The tax on this establishment is about \$2 more than last year. The roll contains numerous errors, which perhaps are unavoidable. We are taxed 29 cents school tax where it should be \$29; but the error is corrected in the footing, so that the result is the same. Those who are not satisfied with the arrangement will have two ways to please themselves, one to pay up, and the other to allow the property to be sold, and then pay it or dispute the title and have a lawsuit over it. The book is in S. &. W. W. Smith's store, and Mr. S. Smith will be there to wait on you.

THE Selinsgrove (Pa.,) Times came to this office with the following item marked for special attention:

"On Thursday of last week a constable arrived in this place with a warrant for Majah Gadnah, by reason of a balance due the Prudential Insurance Co., whose receiving agent he had been. The Majah, to avoid further complications that might seriously interfere with his going to Buchanan, Michigan, open an Insurance Agency, concluded that the wisest thing he could do

was to fork over, and he forked over.' The same paper contained a notice of a Mutual Insurance Company that Albert Arbogast and Matt B. Gardner were not agents of the company. We do not know either of the fellows, but vassed several times by agents offer-

Locals. Drug Store. TAX PAYERS TAKE NOTICE.—I will be at the First National Bank. Niles the 16th and 25th of December: at Bu-Fresh Oysters every day, at BARMORE BROS'. chanan, the 18th and 30th of December, and at home each Friday in December, for the purpose of receiving

Treaş. Bertrand Township. 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. Blish, and bave it worked over into

Respectfully,

JOHN M. ROUCH,

Record:

CHANGE -I have moved my Boot and Shoe business into the Tremont building, first door north of meat market, where I am prepared to do all work in my line and guarantee satisfaction in every res pect. I have, and will keep, a good assortment of men's and boys' ready made boots. Bring in your repairing and have it neatly done. Charg-

WM. POWERS. es reasonable. LOOK FOR 50 STORE Buchan an, Mich., for Bargains.

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C. Stephens' harness shop. SCISSORS and SHEARS, at ROUGH BRO'S.

Look a. "Universal Knowledge," at the News Depot, and you will buy a set. The cheapest encyclopedia in existance. An advance in price will be made Dec. 25.

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High's. NO. 50 HOLIDAY STORE for Handsome goods.

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LADIES, ATTENTION! Will be here this week, Ladies' and Misses' WEAVER & Co. See the Kalo-Meda, China Dolls,

Wax Dolls &c., at Weston's Drug G. W. Noble wishes to say that

he will be at his place of business until Jan 1st. 1881. All accounts not closed at that date will be left with other parties for collection.

When making selections for presents, step in, at Dodd's.

Mrs. Whitman wishes to announce that she has the agency in this place for the Victor, Reminington and New Howe sewing machines, three of the best in the market and thinks she is prepared to please any one in need of a first class sewing machine. Nice for a holiday present. 43w3

Christmas is coming and we have a largeer stock of Holiday goods than ever before. BARMORE BROS. A good supply of Rubber goods now on hand, at J. K. Woods.

To my patrons, I would respectfully say that my stock of HOLI-DAY GOODS is the best in the city, and would invite you who have not, to come in and look at it J. H. ROE.

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One night they passed in pleasant A happy wedded pair; But, ah, alsa! the next morn's Lgh-Brought sorrow and despair.

The Count arose and washed his face, But fear o'erwhelmed his soul; The glue had started, and he left His whiskers in the bowl. The wife looked up; she saw his face function as a new-mown lawn; Save here and there a single hair, His whiskers were all gone,

She swooned and fell upon the floor, Her reason overthrown; secured her jewelry And left for parts unknown

HOUSEHOLD HINTS.

NUT CAKE -One and one-half cups sugar, one-half cup butter, three cups flour, one-half cup sweet milk, three eggs, three teaspoonfuls of baking pow-der, one cup of hickory nuts (chopped), one teaspoonful vanilla.

WAINUT CAKES.—One pound of flour, one pound of sugar, three-quarters of a pound of butter, one and one-half pounds of raisins, one nutmeg, six eggs, one wine-glassful of wine, two quarts of walnuts (before cracked); bake in a onick oven.

OATMEAL BLANG MANGE.—A delicious blanc mange may be made by stirring two heaping teaspoonfuls fine oatmeal into a little cold water and then stirring in a quart of boiling milk; boil a few minutes; flavor; turn into molds when sold; eat with jelly or cream. To CLEAN HAIR BRUSHES.—As hot

water and soap soon soften the hairs, and rubbing completes their destruc-tion, use soda dissolved in cold water. son, use sona dissolved in cold water. Soda, having an affinity for grease, cleans the brash with very little friction. After well shaking them, stand them on the points of the handles in a shady INDIAN MEAL PUDDING .- One pint of

Indian meal cooked, one quart of milk, half a cup of butter, one pint of molasses, four eggs, with a little cinnamon or nutmeg; boil the milk, stir in gradually the meal, mix all together and let it stand two hours, add the eggs when the pudding is ready to put in the oven; let SUPERIOR SPONGE CAKE.—One pound

of sugar, sifted; half pound of flour, rind of a lemon, grated, with the juice. Beat the yelks very light and mix them well with the sugar; add the lemon; beat them well together; add the whites, beaten stiff; shake the flour in very gently—should not be stirred when the flour is well mixed. If in one pan, two hours, if in two pans, one and a half

To Freshen Paint.—Tea leaves may be saved from the table for a few days, and, when sufficient are collected, steep, and not boil, them for half an hour in tin pan; strain the water off through a sieve, and use this tea to wash all varnished paint. It removes spots, and gives a fresher, newer appearance than when soap and water are used. For white paint, take up a small quantity of whiting on a damp piece of old white fiannel, and rub over the surface lightly, and it will leave the paint remarkably bright and new.

To Bon. A HAM.—Scrape and wash carefully in plenty of cold water. Put it to cook in boiling water enough to cover it entirely, hock end up; let it remain on the front of the stove till the ham begins to boil; then put it back and let it simmer steadily for three hours. Take it off the fire, and let the ham remain in the water it is boiled in till cool enough to handle; then skin it: put in a baking-pan, and sprinkle with about three ounces of brown sugar; run your pan in a hot oven, and let it remain a half hour, or until the sugar has formed a brown crust. This not only improves the flavor of the ham, but preserves its

HOUSEHOLD HELPS.

STINGS AND BITES .- Carbonate of soda. wet and applied externally to the bite of a spider, or any venomous creature, will neutralize the poisonous effect almost instantly. It acts like a charm in the case

OURS FOR COLDS.—To make a candied lemon or peppermint for colds, boil one and a half pounds of sugar in a half pint of water till it begins to candy around the sides; put in eight drops of essence; put it upon buttered paper and cut with

Ticks.—Immediately after shearing, the ticks leave the sheep for the longer wool of the lambs. The lambs thus infested should be dipped in a decoction of tobacco stems, which will destroy the ticks. Several special dips are in

the market. SIRCP OF GUM ARABIC.—Melt two ounces of gnm anabic in two ounces of water, then add a pint of water, half a pound of sugar, and boil for a short time; withdraw the mixture and strain,

then add a table-spoonful of orange-CROUP PREVENTIVE.—First get a piece of chamois skin, make it like a little bib, cut the neck and sew on tapes to tie it on; then melt together some tallow and pine tar; rub some of this in the chamois, and let the child wear it all the

Renew with the tar occasion-RICE CROQUEFFES.—Soak some rice, then boil it in milk. When done add sugar, the grated rind of a lemon, three yelks of eggs; form into croquettes and by in lard. The lard must be boiling, and sufficient to cover the croquettes When done sprinkle over with some pow

dered sugar. To ROAST A CALF'S LIVER.-Wash thoroughly and wipe dry; cut a long, deep hole in the side; stuff with crumbs, bacon and onions chopped; salt and pepper to taste; bit of butter and one egg; ew or tie together the liver; lard it over, bake in the oven, basting frequently; serve with gravy and current jelly.

POTATO SALAD.—This is Berlin fash-POTATO SALAD.—This is Berlin fashion: Take your potatoes, not too large
ones, and boil them; potatoes that are
mealy are not good; when cold, cut in
slices and pour the oil on them, and let
them stand a little while; slice a third of
an onion as fine as possible, and one apple, and mix with the potatoes; add
vinegar to taste; salt and pepper. The
addition of a Dutch herring makes a herring salad.

A DELICIOUS AND EASILY-MADE STEW
-Which may be left in a slow oven several hours, or even all day. Take two pounds of gravy beef, cut off the skin and fat, divide it into pieces about an inch square, wash it, then place it in a large bowl or small crock, cover it with water, or rather add as much as desired for gravy or beef-tea; let it stand an hour, then cover it with a plate, and place it in a slow oven, adding previously a little salt, and, if liked, an onion, cut up fine. It should cook four or five hours, and then there will be enough gravy for delicious and most nutritious cef-tex, as well as an excellent dish of wholesome meat.

The Talkative Judge.

A long-winded lawyer lately defended a criminal unsuccessfully, and during the trial the Judge received the follow-"The prisoner humbly prays that the

time occupied by the plea of the counsel for the defense be counted in his sen-tence." This recalls an incident in our State Supreme Court. The late Michael Sanford was arguing a case and the late Judge Gould was presiding. The Judge had interrupted the counsel considerably, and when he reminded the counsel that his "hour was up," the latter said: "Well, your Honor ought to give me half an hour more, for you have talked half the time since I have been on my feet." The same Judge once fell into a ferry-way, and, unable to swim, he had the presence of mind to turn on his back and float until he was rescued. In narrating the circumstance to al awyer, he said: "All I had to do was to keep on my back with my mouth shut for three minutes." The lawyer exclaimed: "Judge, how did you manage to keep your mouth shut so long?"—Exchange.

CURIOUS AND INTERESTING.

AGES OF ANIMALS.—A bear rarely exceeds twenty years; a dog lives twenty years; a fox fourteen or sixteen; lions are long-lived-Pompey's lived to the age of seventy The average age of cats is fifteen years; a squirrel and hare seven or eight years; rabbits seven. Elephants have been known to live to the great age of 700 years. Pigs live to the great age of 100 years. 145 into to the age of thirty years; the rhinoceros to twenty. A horse has been known to live to the age of sixty-two, but averages twenty-five to thirty. Camels some-times live to the age of 100. Stags are long-lived. Sheep seldom exceed the age of ten. Cows live about fifteen years. Cuvier considers it probable that whales sometimes live 1,000 years. The dolphin and porpoise attain the age of thirty. An eagle died at Vienna at the age of 104 years. Ravens frequently reach the age of 100. Swans have been known to live 300 years. A tortoise has been known to live 107.

THE CHANGE IN THE FROG.-Nowhere in the animal kingdom is there so favorable an opportunity for peeping into nature's workshop as in the metamorphoses of the frog. This animal is a worm when it comes from the egg, and remains such the first four days of its life, having neither eyes nor ears, nostrils, nor respiratory organs. It crawls. It breathes through its skin. After a while a neck is grooved into the flesh. Its soft lips are hardened into a horny beak. The different organs, one after another, bud out; then a pair of branching gills, and last, a long and limber tail. The worm has become a fish. Three or four days more elapse, and the gills sink back into the body, while in their place others come, much more complex, arranged in vascular tufts, 112 in each. But they, too, have their day, and are absorbed, together with their framework of bone and cartilage, to be succeeded by an entirely different breathing apparatus, the initial of a sec-ond correlated group of radical change. Lungs are developed, the mouth wid-ened, the horny beak converted into rows of teeth, the stomach, the abdomen, the intestines, prepared for the re-ception of animal food in place of vegetable; four limbs, fully equipped with hip and shoulder bones, with nerves and blood vessels, push out through the skin, while the tail, being now supplant-ed by them as a means of locomotion, is carried away piecemeal by the absorb-ents, and the animal passes the balance of its days as an air-breathing and flesh-

Woman as a Census Taker.

eding batrachian.

Neatly-dressed woman of an uncertain age with big book under her arm and pen in hand rings the door bell. Young lady appears at the door. Census enumerator—"Good morning. Lovely morning. I'm taking the census. You were born?"

Your lady—"Yes'm."
"Your name, please? What a pretty dust cap you have on. Can I get the pattern? It's just like the lady in the next house has. Let's see, your name?" "I haven't the pattern. Don't you get awful tired walking around taking the census?" "Oh, yes, it's wearisome, but I pick up a great deal of information. How

nice your dinner smells cooking. Plum "In Maine. No, I haven't plum pudding to-day. I'm looking for a new

recipe—"
"I've got one that I took down from lady's cook-book across the way. Are you married ?" "No. Want an invitation to the wedding, don't you? It will be a long time before you get it. You can keep your plum-pudding recipe, thank you. "I sh'd think 'twould be some time. Have you chil- O, of course, Iforgot.

This hall carpet is just the pattern of Aunt Prudy's. She's had it more than twenty years. How many are they in the family?
"If this hall carpet don't suit you, you can get off from it and go about

your censusing."
"Well, you're an impudent jade, anyhow. You haven't told me when you were born or what's your name, or when you expect to get married, and there's \$10 fine for not answering censustakers' questions, and if I was you I wouldn't be seen at the door in such a slouchy morning dress, so there."

"Oh, you hateful thing. You can just go away. I'll pay \$10 just to get rid of you, and smile doing it. It's none of your business, nor the censuses either. No, it isn't. You can keep your pattern and your plum pudding and your saucy, impudent questions to yourself—I—I."

"Good morning. I must be getting on. I haven't done but three families all the forenoon," and an energetic bang of the door just missed catching a foot of her trailing dress skirts.

Qualifications. An old lady walked into a lawyer's office, when the following conversation took place: Lady-Squire, I called to see if you

would like to take this boy and make a lawyer of him. Lawyer—The boy appears to be rather young, madam; how old is he?

Lady—Seven years, sir.
Lawyer—He is too young, decidedly too young; have you no older boys?
Lady—Oh, yes; I have several; but we have concluded to make farmers of the others. I told the old man I thought this little fellow would make a first-rate lawyer, and so I called to see if you would take him.

Lawyer—No, madam; he is too young yet to commence the study of the profession; but why do you think this boy is better calculated for a lawyer than

your other sons?

Lady—Why, you see, sir, he is just 7
years old to-day. When he was only 5
he'd lie like all nature; when he got to be 6 he was saucy and impudent as any critter could be, and now he'll steal any-thing he can lay his bands on.

"Good morning, Patrick; you have got a new coat at last, but it seems to it you rather too much." "Och, there's nothing surprising in that; sure, I wasn't there when I was measured for it."

Estate of Betsey Dempsey, Deceased. Estate of Betsey Dempsey, Deceased.

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CITATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien.—ss.

Probate Court for said County. At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate Office, in the village of Berrien Springs, on Friday, the 19th day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty.

Present, ALEXANDER B. LEEDS. Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Betsey Dempsey, deceased.

William Haslett, Administrator of said estate, comes into Court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such Administrator.

prepared to render his final account as such Administratror.
Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the 21st day of December next atten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, 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, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the said secount should not be allowed: And it is further ordered, that said Adminis'rator give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Berrien County Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

[L S.] ALEXANDER B. LEEDS.
(A true copy.) Judge of Probate.
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W. L. McGEE,

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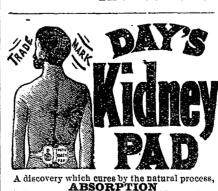
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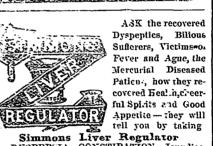
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Had to Leave Off.

"They'd be awful dry sticks if they lidn't leave, wouldn't they?" "Young man, I'm engaged on a prob-lem. Go into the house, or you'll get sprouted, leaves or no leaves." Thus

An Extraordinary Question. "Emma R." asks the Springfield (Ohio) Tribune this extraordinary question: "Do you think it right for a girl to sit on a young man's lap, even if she is engaged to him?" Whereupon say. "If it was our girl and our lap, yes; if it was another girl and our lap, yes; but if it was our girl and another fellow's lap, never."—Chicago Tribune.

Professor to classical student: "You ask, if Atlas supported the world, what supported Atlas. The question, dear sir, has often been asked, but never, so far as I am aware, satisfactorily answered. I have always been of the opinion that Atlas must have married a rich wife and got his support from her father.

A Dream. It is queer how folks dream. The other night a man dreamed that he stood at the gate of heaven, and asked St. Peter if the souls of rich people ever got in there. "Yes," was the reply, "it is supposed that the souls of a great many rich people have got in here. Many of them are so small we have not been able

BASHFUL lover (to his belle): " Would that I had three kilograms of dynamite!" Belle: "Why, monsieur?" Bashful lover: "To break the ice between us."

inviting, that's a fact.—Norristown Herald. THE richest gold mine known in the United States, before the acquisition of California, was in Rowin county, North Carolina, which in 1840 yielded \$500 to the bushel of earth, or \$3,000,000 in all,

rope to erect monuments to the living rather than the dead, and it has been estimated that 200 busts and statues are THIRTY small boys were arrested in Dallas, Tex., for giving a negro minstrel They were tried before the Mayor, who They were tried before the Mayor, who said: "I find the prisoners guilty and fine them \$1 each. The alternative is one day in jail." The consternation among the offenders was very great. "But," his Honor added, "I was a boy once myself, and went on the end in just such a performance. I will pay these these myself."

fines myself." The earliest method of engraving was apon wood, which was known to the Chinese before the Christian era, but was not known in Europe until the middle ages, when it was introduced by the inhabitants of the Celestial empire. Engraving upon metallic substances was not practiced in Europe until the first half of the fifteenth century, although it is probable that the art in this form

was also known to the Chinese long be-To REMOVE from rust or ink spots: Moisten the spot and apply salts of lemon until it disappears, and rinse

"However bad the air may be out of doors, it is always worse in the house.' should the hog raiser violate the necessi-ty of growing a few acres for their par-ticular special benefit.

rocity. Let each vocation try to assist the other, and in this way will a friendly and mutual relation exist which will prove beneficial to all.

Oriental Women.

world still moves.

"Do trees leave, pa?" asked a young investigator, as he observed the thickening foliage. "Yes, my son," patronizingly.
"But they don't go anywhere."
"Oh, well. They don't leave, of

the young wind is permitted to grow up in ignorance and superstition.—New Haven negister.

the editor gets off a very extraordinary lie: "We have had no experience in the matter referred to." Why didn't he

Beautiful Hair.

Jennie and Julia were praising the luxuriant locks of their respective mothers, and the discussion was brought to an unexpected conclusion by the first-mentioned, who said: "It is my mother who has the most beautiful hair; she has so much that it prevents her sleeping, and she takes it off before going to bed!"

to invent any way to keep them out." ALL SORTS.

An agricultural paper has an article on "Washed and Unwashed Butter." It says that the markets now demand that butter shall not only be fresh and rosy, but be properly worked and washed. A pound of butter that comes into market without having its face washed and its hair combed is not very

when the mine became flooded. In 1799 a nugget found in Cabarus county weighed seventy-eight pounds. For years a number of gold veins and placers or gravel deposits were exten-sively worked over a large territory on both sides of the Blue Ridge. THE law of the ancients forbidding a statue to be raised to a live man, or to a

dead one except after a lapse of a cer-tain number of years, has become quite obsolete. It is the fashion now in Eu-

at present being chiseled out in honor of living men, of all sorts and condishow without a license, the complainant being the owner of an old building which they had used without permission.

well. Salts of lemon are made of equal parts of oxalic and tartaric acid, and any person can make them for his own use. Another way is to moisten with lemor juice, sprinkle on salt, and lay in the sun. If ink is spilled on colored goods that will not bear acids, soak them immediately in sweet milk, boiling hot. Hot melted tallow poured through ink stains will remove them. Live out of doors as much as you can. the place for a man to

good for the health. A distinguished

physician was in the habit of saying

It is good for the temper. People who are always shut up in a house are apt to grow fretful and peevish. They are prone to acquire narrow views of things, and to worry over trials not worth considering. It is good for the whole character—for strength, hope, patience and fortitude. It expands and softens one's nature and makes one more car table. The Brazilian artichoke has much to recommend it as a prominent plant for the interest of the swine, and in no case

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