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about four years older than I, and we

Time went by, and except for the

ever-present sense of loss and grief for

my father, which the excitement of

my journey had temporarily driven

One evening some three months after my arrival, it being Bridget's

'evening out," it fell to my lot to an-

swer the door-bell. At about 8 o'clock

it rang sharply and I opened the door,

"Good evening," said a fine, manly

voice, "is Mr. Seaver at home?"
"Yes," said I; "will you walk up-

He stepped into the light-it was my

fellow traveler of the over-land route!

I fairly shook in my boots.

"Who shall I say?"

bring him down here."

Tom, indeed I can't."

gravating amiability.

not recognized me.

peen all this time.

"No. I won't!"

"Pshaw! Jack, come on."

"No you won't!" cried Margaret; and

exclaimed, "I can't go up to-night,

"Well, suit yourself," and Tom went

upstairs three steps at a bound, hum-

ming "When a woman will, she will,

and when she won't, she won't," in ag-

After he had gone I thought I had

better "faced the music" and gone

along for goodness knew what confi-

dence "Old Smith" might make. But

I was too proud to go then, and I trust-

The next morning at breakfast Mar-

garet asks Tom where Mr. Smith had

"Been 'on the road,' " says Tom; "you knew he's a junior member of the old firm of Smith & Smith, and this sum-

mer he tried drumming for the house,

"So he was a drummer," I think to

for a change and the chance to travel.

ought to have seen how astonished he

was when I told him you were my sis-

tally, "he didn't recognize me"; and

then aloud, "Did you tell him where I

got though—he's such a tormented

"Sorry you did't see him," continued

Tom between two mouthfuls of buck

wheat cakes; "Nice fellow."
"All Tom's friend are 'nice fellows,'

remarks Margaret gentle. "I haven't

seen one yet but what was quite ne

Well, Madge, I did not think that of

ou, after I have listened for hours at

time to the superior virtues, accom-

dishments, and the Lord knows what,

of the entire '75 class of the Normal

"Tom," said Margaret severely,

So Mr. Smith is lost beneath the flow of breakfast conversation, and I almost

forgot him; but a few weeks later Tom

comes home and calls upstairs, "Girls, O girls! put on your best bib and tucker and friz your hair—I've got

"O!" I cry with a little scream of

"Hope it will be good," says Margar-et, and adds, "Tom never will learn

At dinner Tom brings out the tickets

"Four?" quiries Margaret. "What

"Margaret," groans Tom, "I know your heart is set on being a dashing

young widow, but spare me yet a few

years of life; let not my blonde hairs

severely returns Margaret, "if you will keepon wearing your hat in your office."
"Dear Tom," say I, "as this is a matter that may effect my entire furure

happiness, permit me to ask who is the

"Why, it's Smith," says Tom, with an

air of candid surprise.
"O!" very weakly from me, and I

relapsed into silence. I haven't the

face to say I don't want to go, and I

don't dare to waste the ticket, either,

or I should get up a termendous head-

ache, or sore throat, or something.

What am I to do? Of course I do nothing, but at half-past seven the de-

testable Mr. Smith is introduced to me,

and I find myself talking to him with

fourth? I am torn with anxiety."

"You had better say your bald spot,"

came from?"
"I don't know—I believe I did—for-

"I know that!" I say to myself.

talker!"

olus ultra.

don't be irreverent."

tickets for the opera!"

-four of them.

delight, "isn't that too lovely!"

that we don't 'friz' our bangs."

go in sorrow to the grave."

"Thank Heaven!" I ejaculate, men-

myself; "a horrid drummer."

ed, anyhow, that Mr. LeRoy Smith had

from my mind, I was quite happy.

were soon fast friends.

stairs, please?"

Smith!

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To hundt me vor a blace; I meedt von fraulein volkin oud Dot hof a bretty vace. Dot vas Katrine! I stob midt her to dalk abid, She loogk at me-is vay-Den Ihire oud her vater med To help him magke de hay,

Von tay I go to loogk apoud,

Dot vas pizness; Katrine she vas vork mid me. She sbread de day I cudt, Undt ven I stob to loogk at she Her scheeks got redt like bludt. Dot vas pashvulness! Ve valk oud ven de moon vas schine, Ne see dose sdars apove; I dakes her leedle hand in mine, She loogks mid me vit lofe, Dot vas vlirtations!

I holdts her veist, I dondt can sbeak, She loogks right in mine vace, Und pud her hedt yust on mine scheek; Katrina like dot blace. Dot vas nice! Ven, ach! somepoddy come aroundt Who doudt vas dere ve know. Dot dakes Katrina py de gowudt

Und jake he up-yust so. Dot yas mine mutter-in-law. I en Hans he come, Katrina's dadt, Undt yust he loogk at me, Mine Gott in himmel he vas madt

Dot vas home! He schlap his handt mine car. Ach! I yust standt him on his hedt, Undt den I vas come here.

Dot vas sensebleness A leedle paker shob I puy, Vor I vas come to sday. Katrina write dot she vas die, Vor dot I gone avay.

Dot vas vit veenin! I sendt her geldt undt she vas com Right off avay mid joy; Undt now ve got a splendidt home, Ve haf a papy boy. Dot vas happiness!

An Engagement With a Commercial Traveler.

Some five or six years ago my father and I lived in San Francisco, whither we had ventured after father's failure in business in my native city of Boston. My only brother was employed as a bookkeeper in that city (he only was just married to the daughter of an old New England famihaving died when I was a small gether. But father and I were quite enough for each other, for never were two people happier in each other's society than I and my "chum," as I fondly called him. Where he went I went;

we were inseparable. One dreadful day my father was suddenly taken down with a fever, and after a short illness died. I can remember only too well the awful sense of desolation that oppressed me then, for it was a blow that might have proved fatal had I not had to think and act for myself. We had few friends in San Francis-

co, for I was only a schoolgirl, and my father was a quiet man—a "dreamer of dreams." One good friend attended to all necessary matters, and at my request, sold our little stock of furniture and household fixtures, reserving only the library, which I placed in his care. Then there was but one thing to be done-and that was to return East to my brother, who had sent for

Just before I started the wild idea entered my head to travel as a boy—to don masculine attire for the sake of the protection the disguise afforded. I was a girl of sixteen then, well grown, and, aside from my recent bereave-ment, as full of life as girls usually are of that age, and I was entirely too young and too ignorant of the world to realize the danger I might be running in adopting such a risky plan, The idea took complete possession of me. Already I saw myself speeding eastward in comparative peace and comfort, and landing in triumph at

my journey's end. Fortune favored my plans. As I said, I was a well-grown girl, and there happened to be among father's effects a suit of brother's clothes which fitted me perfecty, and my hair being short and curly, I made quite a good looking and mannish fellow. My preparations had kept my mind busy, and distracted me somewhat from my grief, but when, everything being attended to, one day in December I went for the last time over the little home which had been so pleasant, and thought of the dear face I should never see again, then it was bitter indeed. But I could not linger there; I must be up and doing. So I donned my new attire, locked the house, left the key with the apothecary, who, fortunatey, was a new man in the neighborhood, and started for the

train. My trunk had, of course, gone before, and I had with me only a small valise, in which I had taken the precaution to place a dress. We left San Francisco on time, and were soon miles away from the metropolis of the West. So far so good. Conductor No. 1 inspected my ticket, inspected me. Both passed muster,

and so I safely traveled through three days.

The darkness was falling the evening of the third day upon desolate prairies stretching of into illuminated space, and I was fast slipping into a doze when the train began slowing down, and then came to a sudded stop. Inquisitive passengers poked their heads out of the windows, the enterprising drummer meandered out to superintend whatever was going on and furnish ideas free of charge, nervous mothers were on the verge of hysterics, sleeping children woke up, and everybody asked everybody else what was the matter. The experienced traveler across the aisle leaned over and remarked confidentially that it was a "hot box"—it always was, you know-and we should only be delayed a half hour at the most. Then we settled down in the awe-inspiring silence which follows the sensation of mo-tion in a railroad-car and possessed our souls in patience until some one should come and enlighten us. This the conductor did in about twenty minutes, informing us that a couple of freight trains were smashedup ahead, and the track would not be bed rock prices. My stock is now full | cleared for some hours. He added that we could spend the night in the cars or at the hotel in a small town

about a mile further on, I would have preferred the cars, but it was bitter cold, and imagination pictured a hot supper and a warm bed in delightful perspective, whose vanishing point lay in the little town ahead, Wearily we and our bags and bundles sought our anticipated haven, bundles sought our anticipated haven, the evening of my arrival I rang the The one hotel was soon thronged with bell of my brother's house, No. 39 J passengers. I was fortunate in secur-fng a room among the first. After a od, and soon made to feel at home, My

hasty supper I sought my apartment, and was lazily taking a view of the surroundings, which were those of the usual second-class American hostelry. Some one knocked. Opening the door I found the proprietor, and behind him a remarkably handsome young gentleman. "Sorry to disturb you, sir," said the former blandly, "but we are jamed full to night, and I thought perhaps you would be willing to share

your room with this gentleman." "But, sir," I gasped, and then the suave proprietor, evidently taking my assent for granted, slipped a valise into the room and ushered in my would-be room-mate, and quietly slipped himself away.
"Good Heavens!" thought I; "what

on earth shall I do?" For a moment I glared dumbly at the intruder, who was making a thousand apologies, and really seemed a nice enough young fellow. Then a brilliant idea struck me. I had left my bag down-stairs, and marmurring about it I hastily left the room. Once outside I could scarcely control myself. Fright and utter bewilderment were my most diseinct emotions. At any cost I must get away. I found my bag, and in the cold and darkness sought the cars, where, among more impecunious travelers and in the bitter

cold, I spent the night. The next morning the track was cleared and we started on again. My guest of the evening passed through the car once and gazed at me curiously enough, but I turned away with the cold chills creeping down my back, mentally consigning him to Halifax or some equally remote geographical posi-

If fickle fortune favored my start she certainly deserted me afterwards, for a hundred miles farther on we again met with an accident and were forced to dismount and walk five miles to the nearest station. That night we had no hotel, but spent the night in the barn-like building that embraced within its walls the post-office for three neighboring hamlets, the telegreph office, and an express agent's booth I noticed that my bete noir kept his eyes fixed upon me during the tiresome some [walk, and once I believed he was absolutely going to speak, but I dropped back to the side of the experienced traveler, who was a deaf old gentleman with a big nose, and so

evaded him. I improvised a lounge out of a bench and my valise, and tried to make the best of situation. On the next bench was an old lady with a big bonnet and a thick green veil. The veil was kept down over her face, as she kept bolt npright the entire night, as far as I know, and the effect was simply awful. I felt to very tips of my toes that behind that dreadful screen she was the light of the latter of the taking a complete inventory of me. from my entirely too becoming traveling cap to my decidedly too small feet. I was sure she knew every butly), and my mother and only sister ton on my last winter's overcoathaving died when I was a small which had been my dear father's—and child, there were only father and I tocollar was fastened woman-fashion with a pin instead of a button. I was dropping to sleep, with the old

lady with the green veil inextricably jumbled up in my mind, when a voice spoke in my ear. I looked up rather stumpidly and crossly. "I beg your pardon. I said I hoped I didn't drive." you off the other evening." It was that dreadful man. I wished I was asleep-I wished I was in Jericho-I wished all sorts of things—but there was my "Old Man of the Sea" smiling just as amiably at me as if I wasn't at my wits' end with fear. I made up my mind then that he was a specimen of the obnoxious "drummer."

"I trust I didn't drive you away the other evening," he resterated. Now. I never had told a lie in my life, and what to say I did not know. "O!" I gasped and then I stopped "I had forgotten—I found—I forgot my -valise—I was very comfortable, thank you," after which remarkable utterance I drew my coat closer, shut my eyes, and looked my sleepiest. The persistant young man commenced

again:
"Very cold to-night, don't .you think As if any idiot didn't know it was

"Yes," said I shortly, in my deepest alto.
"Colder than it was the other night,"
Rot I was dumb said my tormentor. But I was dumb. He ventured two or three remarks and then, to my intense relief, went away—but only to seat himself on the other side of the green veil, from which position he occasionally favored me with a most uncomfortably searching glance. At last, however, my tired eyes could keep open no longerwith a last tender thought of my father I dropped asleep.

I was awakened in the early morning before daylight by our conductor shouting in at the door in the frosty dawn: "Passengers will please take their places on the train!" I stumbled half-asleep to the door with my valise, when who should appear but the dreadful drummer. "Permit me to carry your bag," he said, and there was no mistaking his tone. I think I must have blushed to the very back of my ears; and then I did the most foolish thing I said with immense hauteur: "I believe I have not the honor of your acquaintance, sir;" and I rushed for the train which had

been drawn up beside the station, How I did wish I had never thought of my foolish masquarade! If only I could get back into petticoats again! Would he tell the conductor? What should I do? But nothing happened except my bete noir removed himself, bag and baggage, to my car, and all the time afterwards, and when we changed cars I could not get over the impression that he was looking out for me in some sort of a fashion. My disturbed state of mind gradually wore off as he did not approach me again, and I saw that no one else surveyed me with any especial interest. There was one exception to this last statement, however, for at one place where we stopped for dinner there was a girl at the table—probably a passenger on a westward-bound train which had met us there-and to my intense amusement I found her casting stolen glances at me, apparently of admiration. As my looks crossed hers on one of the occasions she blushed very prettily, and looked greatly embarrassed. Notwithstanding my amusement I was rather thankful she was not going my way, for I had no mind to go about

breaking the hearts of members of my own sex. My route was by way of New York, and I was extremely relieved to see the last of my fellow traveler when we reached there.

As we drew near my journey's end I began to wonder how on earth I was to get into my proper attire. I thought of everything possible, and finally decided to take a room at a hotel on ar-Boston, pay for it in advance don my skirts again, and, then return-ing the key to the bell-boy, quietly desert the ranks of the steener sex. Luckily I had not telegraphed my brother when to expect me, so there would be no one to meet me. For once all things went right, and

inward terpidation but much outward composure. I am thinkful that be also appears quite indifferent, smiles amiably upon me, and in all respects conducts himself as the average young gentleman of polite society.

At 7:40 I find myself taking his arm -for we don't live far from the theatre, and Margaret and I have exclaimed the unnecessary expenses of a carriage—that was before I knew that Mr. Smith was going, however—and falling in behind my brother and his

wife we sedately go on our way. The awful Mr. Smith makes no reference to our journey, but several times during the evening I met his inquiring eyes fixed upon me so, on the whole, I cannot make up my mind whether he recognizes me or not. After this we became quite friendly and is often at our house. We go to the opera and the theatre, and do not find it at all necessary to wait for Tom

At last it was a delicious evening in the latter part of May, one of those dear delightful evenings when the spring is in a tender mood and haunts one with forecasts of 'coming delights and faints shadowings of far-off lands it was at twilight on such an even ing that Mr. Smith and I were standing on our little Moorish piazza.
"It was no such a night," said he

and Margaret.

er, were you ever in San Francisco? "Yes," said I rather faintly. "Did you ever see me there?" "No, never," I reply with more assurance. And then boldly, "What makes you ask?" "Because I have seen some one there —or perhaps I should say near there—

who reminds me greatly of you. Some

softly, and then suddenly, "Miss Seav-

Then, somehow, I never could tell how, he takes my hand and says: "Don't you think I ever saw you near there?" and as I look up swiftly into his eyes I find they are bent upon me with a mischievous, laughing tenderness. I pull away my hand and cover my burning face, and turn my back upon him.

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brother's wife was a charming girl ious Mr. Smith, "don't feel badly, for it was then that I began to love the young woman under this curly mop and her brother's clothes!" About half an hour afterward I ask Lelloy if he had known all this time that I was his fellow-traveler, and he says yes, and that Tom said I was his sister just in time to prevent his (Le Roy's) making a confident of him, but

> should repeat it to me, at which duplicity I am aghast. I ask him how he discovered me in the beginning. Was it because I ran that night? And he says he didn't suspect anything then, but was very much puzzled "But," he says, "I put my wits to work. and when you answered me as you did at the way-station where we stopped I

he says he only asked Tom if I was Irish and all that just so that Tom

The detestable unknown handed me his card, which read: "LeRoy Smith." When I had ushered him into the knew at once. And your voice, my dear," he adds, "was entirely too sweet for your part." little parlor I went for my brother. who cried on receiving the card:
"Hello! Old Smith. Why, when did "And do you think it was kind of you," I asked, reproachfully, "to make me so uncomfortable, and to be so-to he get back? I say, Margaret, it's be so—yes, I will say it, so impudent?"
"Well," he laughs, "that was rather
mean of me, I confess; but I did so "And, pray," I said somewhat petishly, "who is 'Old Smith'?"
"Why, don't you know him, Jack? want to make sure of you, and then-O! I forgot-you were away at your but you'll forgive me, won't you?" And aunt's when he came to see us. He's the wretch absolutely kisses me as if my old college chum—my best friend—and here I'm standing gassing to you girls instead of going to see him, he were sure of my forgiveness before hand. "And considering I didn't tell Tom," he says insinuatingly.

And Tom doesn't know it to this Hurry up Margaret, put away your sewing and bring Jack-or stay, I'll day, for, if he did, I should never hear

the end of it, I know. . SIX MONTHS LATER.—Tom overheard Le Roy and I laughing over our first meeting and he insisted on knowing the whole, so just to pacify him LeRoy told him, and Tom says it is the best joke he ever heard, and says if I will write it up and let him publish it he will give me a sealskin cloak. So

here it is.

Day's Endeavors to Educate a Wife. Day's ridiculous notion of educating a girl to be his wife on the most approved "Rosseau-an" pattern was naturally a failure, and this incident is the best-known fact in his life. He chose two girls in order to have a better chance of success; one from an orphan school at Shrewsbury-a flaxenhaired girl of twelve, named by him Sabrina Sidney, after the Severn and Algernon Sidney; the other from the Foundling Hospital in London, whom he called Lucretia. He took the girls to France, where he hoped in quiet to discover and discipline their talents. In the course of the process they all three quarreled, and to add to his difficulties the girls caught small-pox. When they recovered he was glad to return to London, where he apprenticed Lucretia to a milliner. Subsequently this girl married a substantial linen-draper, and Day gave her a dowry of £500. Sabrina was given a further chance of educating herself to fit her to become Mrs. Day, but it was imposle to eradicate her sense of When melting sealing-wax was dropped on her arms she flinched, and she started and screamed when pistols were fired at her garments. When Day tried her fidelity by telling her pretended secrets she divulged them in a gossip with the servants. Finally she exhausted his patience by wearing thin sleeves for ornament instead of warmth. He sent her to a boardingschool for three years, but although she fell far short of his ideal, he was not altogether pleased when she married his friend Bicknell. Day fell in love with Honora Sneyd, who was engaged to the unfortunate Major Andre;

thropic labors.

and then he paid his addresses to her

sister Elizabeth, but without success.

Oddly enough, these two sisters be-

came successively the wives of Rich-

ard Lovell Edgeworth, one of Day's

early friends and a fellow admirer of

Rousseau and his educational system.

At last Day was successful in his search for a wife, and August 7, 1778, he married Miss Esther Milnes, a lady

of fortune, well known for her philan-

The Deadly Plague. A staff correspondent of the Courier Journal, who is in the mountains of eastern Kentucky investigating the plague, sends the following from Bar-

boursville: "I met Mr. C. F. Davidson, agent of the Cumberland River Lumber Company, who has been over the infected district. He says that the disease which is an aggravated and very fatal form of flux, began about six weeks ago in Letcher county, Joseph Day, brother of the County Judge, being the first victim. He lived on Poor Fork, and was taken ill when a short distance from home. He was first seized with griping pains, and in a few moments was paralyzed so completely that he had to be carried to his house. In a few hours he was a dead man. The disease spread with great rapidity, and it now extends over territory in Virginia and Kentucky about seventy miles wide by seventy miles long. If takes about two days for the disease to run its course, and it generally proves fatal. In many instances those attacked died in a few hours. The feeling of intense thirst satisfies me that mineral poisoning is the real cause of the epidemic. One peculiar feature of the disease is that it is certainly contagious, for if it once enters a family it lets none escape. The total number of victims will probably reach from 800 to 1,000. In Harlan county seven persons were buried one day last week. In the family of Judge Day there were five deaths, his wife and four little ones falling a prey to the plague. At the head of Clover Park, in Harlan county, lived a family by the name of Clark. The husband and father is now serving out a sentence at Frankfort for murder, I believe. The disease at-tacked the wife and four children, and in a few days they were all dead. In Wise county, Virginia, I was told that those burying the dead were two days

A Remarkable Bird.

Perseverance. The other day down in the country, after a marriage ceremony had been performed, the bridegroom and several performed, the prineground friends walked down to the spring.

behind in their work.".

"Yes," some replied.
"Wall, thank the Lord, it's over. I've been er tryin' to hem that feller up for more than ten years, an' have jest succeeded. I wanter say to you wimmen folks, don't give up. Recolleck whut the Bible says: 'If you don't git what you air airter at fust, keep peggin' away till you git thar."—Arkansaw

Wasn't Flirting.

"My dear," said a Mormon wife to

her husband, "I should think that you

would be ashamed of yourself, flirting with that Miss B., as you did to day." "Flirting with her?" he replied, in astonishment. "Why, we have been engaged for more than three months. It's all over town," "Oh, I beg your pardon," said his wife, indifferently. "If you are engaged to her I suppose it is all right. When does the happy event "There, little girl," says the obnoxoccur?"—Argonaut.

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THE THEORY OF VACCINATION. Prof. Tyndall suggests that, just as the soil may be so effectually robbed of some essential ingredient by one abundant crop as to be incapable of producing another, so in the human system a parasitic disease may so completely exhaust the blood of some ingredient necessary to the growth and propagation of the parasite that the production of a second crop in fatal or considerable quantity may be impossible. It would thus appear that prctective vaccination or inocculation is simply the introduction into the blood of weakened and comparatively harmless disease germs to consume the material which might become food for similar germs in a more vigorous and dangerous condition.

WIND WORK.—A gale at East St. Louis in 1871, according to Mr. C. Shaler Smith, overturned a locomotive, exerting a force of no less than 93 pounds per square foot. At St. Charles a jail was destroyed in 1877, the pressure required being 84 pounds per square foot. At Marshfield, in 1880, a brick mansion was leveled, the force necessary being 58 pounds per square foot. Below these extraordinary pres-sures Mr. Smith has instanced numerous cases of trains blown off rails, and bridges, etc., blown down, by gales of 24 to 31 pounds per square foot.

Successful experiments in distributing the electric light to great distances have been made in connection with the Turin Electrical Exhibition. A Siemens machine of 30 horse-power generated a current which was simultaneously used by several electric light systems spread over a circuit of about 25

A motor driven by small charges of gun-cotton is an English novelty. It is said to be applicable wherever small powers are required. A German botanist has given in-stances of the modification of plants

by insects so as to produce new varie-GREAT WORMS.-According to Mr. F. E. Beddard, a London zoologist, earthworms two feet in length have been found in the British Isles, and various species as large or larger are known to exist in South America, Western Africa, Australia and New Zealand. The largest species known, however, inhabits South Africa. Forty years ago a specimen was described which measured six feet two inches in length, but it seems to have been nearly forgotten until the other day, when a gigantic creature of the same species was sent to the London Zoological Gardens from Cape Colony. The longest measurement of this worm yet taken

reaches six feet five inches, its diameter being nearly half an inch. MONEY VEGETATION.—A short time since Paul Reinsch discovered several kinds of minute plants—including two algae which had before been unknown growing upon coins after having been long enough in circulation to receive thin incrustations of organic matter. A Hungarian botanist, Jules Schaarschmidt, has more recently found the microscopic growths upon paper money, even the cleanest specimens not being free from them. He has detected seven species, including—although they are rare—the two new algae described

PICTURES OF SOUND.—Some remarkable photographs of a pistol bullet in its flight—under the illumination of an electric spark-have been secured by Prof. E. Mach, of Prague. He has also photographed the air streams which one may see over a Bunsen burn-er placed in sunshine, and has even obtained pictures of waves of sound. these last being made visible by a method in which advantage is taken of the irregular refraction of light by air

set in the vibration by sound. A French astronomer has found reasons for believing that a circular protuberance - presumably a volcanowhich exists in the southern hemisphere of Venus has an elevation of not less than seventy miles. He regards such a vast mountain as not incompatible with the planet's volcanic

nature.

A Surgeon's Process to Remove Scars. Scars are always unsightly and are often painful or inconvenient on account of their propensity to contract as they become older. Dr. Ward, of New York, asserts that they may be removed by manipulation, which he directs to be employed as follows: Place the ends of two or three fingers on a scar if it be a small one, and on the margin if it be large, and vibrate the surface on the tissues beneath. The surface itself is not to be subjected to any friction; all the motion must be between the integument and the deeper parts. The location of the vibrattle notion should be changed every ten or fifteen seconds, until the whole scar has been treated, if it be of moderate size. If the scar be the result of a large scald or burn, the margin only should be treated at first; the advances toward the center should be deferred until the nutrition of the margins has been decidedly improved, Only a lit-tle treatment should be applied to any one spot at the same time, but the vibrations should be repeated as many as twenty times a day, but never with sufficient frequency or severity to cause pain. If the scar becomes irritable, suspend treatment until it subsides. in the course of two or three weeks of faithful treatment the surfaces of the scars of moderate size become more novable and will begin to form wrinkles like true skin when pressed from side to side. All these changes are due to improved nutrition, consequent on

ment of entirely new sets of blood ves-

better blood circulation—the develop-

Andrew Storz, of Waterbury, has a beautiful trained bluejay which is a most remarkable mocking bird. He was captured while very young and educated by a man in Watertown. Perhaps the most remarkable of the bird's imitations is his perfect mocking of a crowing rooster, which is so exact as to deceive everybody. Still his other imitations are quite as perfect and wonderful. Not a cock crows, not a hen cackles, not a horse neighs, not a man whistles, nor any kind of a fowl utters its natural note without being perfectly mocked very promptly by this blue jay. The shrill cry belonging

Rich Find of Two Laborers.

to its kind is rarely heard from its

throat.—Hartford Times.

DANVILLE, Pa., Nov. 29.—Two men digging roots on an island in the Susquehanna River struck a metal box containing coins amounting to nearly \$47,000, including 16,000 Mexican silver dollars, \$30,000 in gold doubloons, and nearly \$1,000 in silver coins.

A Canadian has had his tongue amputated at the General Hospital in Toronto because of cancer, alleged to have been caused by cigar smoking.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1884.

Frank D. Molton, the mutual friend in the noted Beecher-Tilton trial, died last week.

There were fifty-nine more failures in the United States last week than during the week before.

Over 2,000 deaths have occurred in the region afflicted by the mineral poison pestilence in Eastern Kentucky and West Virginia.

South Bend dairies are stocked with Jersies, and when South Benders buy milk they get something that will sustain life.

Board and lodging at the Sourthern Exposition will range from \$30 to \$75 per month, varying with accommodations furnished.

The citizens' committee, appointed to investigate the Chicago election frauds, has caused the arrest of J. C. Mackin, and he is on bail at \$10,000.

Just keep a lookout for the number of Greenbackers who receive federal appointments in Michigan, at the hands of the Democratic President.

Representative Buckner, Chairman of the House Committee on banking and currency, is preparing a bill to suspend the coinage of the silver dollars for three years.

Saturday afternoon the Washington monument was completed. It was commenced in 1848, is the tallest structure in existence, 550 feet tall, weighs 160,000,000 pounds, and cost \$1,130,000.

Prof. S. W. Straub, of Chicago, is making his musical monthly, "The Song Friend," one of the most interesting in the field. Besides able discussions of musical topics each number contains choice selections of music. The subscription price is \$1.

Eastern temperance workers are inducing manufacturers and merchants to sign agreements to not keep in their employ any person who drinks heavily, no matter who or what his circumstances. This would appear to be an effectual kind of temperance

Congress at its last session to stop the coinage of the silver dollar which is being hoared up and of no use to anyone. The same appeal is being repeated at this session. The people have ecome 'tired of furnishing market for the silver of the silver kings.

Carpenter, the man who was tried for the murder of Zora Burns, at Lincoln, Ill., about a year ago, returned to Lincoln last week, and Zora's father tried to shoot him. The feeling about Lincoln is such that if he succeeded in killing Carpenter no one would have been found to enter complaint against him in that vicinity, where they think Carpenter guilty, notwithstanding the verdict of the jury to the contrary.

The Hon. S. S. Cox, of New York has introduced a bill to pay \$100,000 out of the National Treasury toward the erection of a pedestal for the Bartholdi monument It is no place of the United States treasury to pay any such bills. If the many millionaires who live in New York City will not build that pedestal the statue might as well remain in Paris.

The New York Sun in a column argues that owing to the increase in price of government bonds, on which national bank circulation is based, to a point above profit will soon drive these notes out of circulation. It shows also that unless the national debt is perpetuated, by some unforseen event, the nature of the bank law makes it short-

All European governments are behind American states in economy of public saleries. Think of the chief officer of a German province of the smallest dimensions being paid only \$1,000 a year, and not allowed to use railroad passes; or the chief counsellor receiving \$800. These old countries are entirely behind the times, and might learn a valuable lesson by studying Michigan's methods.

Last May Orno Strong, editor of the Nashville News, thought Dr. Foote, of that, place had been meddling with Strong's wife, and fired one or two revolver balls into Foote's corpus. Strong was tried last week for assault with intent to kill, and Friday the jury on first ballot said "Not guilty." "Orno is receiving the congratulations of the town, and the doctor has gone hence.

Senator Mitchel introduced a bill - placing Gen. Grant on the pension list for \$5,000 per year. To this Gen. Grant objects, and has written the Senator to withdraw the bill as follows:

"I learn through the press that you have introduced a bill in the Senate placing me on the pension list of the Nation. I understand the motive which has prompted this action on your part. and appreciate it very highly. But I beg you to withdraw the bill. Under no circumstances could I accept a pension, even if the bill should pass both houses and receive the approval of the

The Democrats in this part of the country, during the past campaign, poohed at the idea of rebel war claims ever being paid. "Why, do you suppose that Northern Democrats will sions. That request will be made to Peel, of Arkansas, who introduced pills for the payment of three of these respectively. But a short time will business that cuts on wages. It can business that cuts on wages. It can business that cuts on wages. decide whether the claims are to be chance." allowed or not.

The Democratic hatred of U.S. Deputv Marshals and Supervisors of elections is cropping out early. There are already a number of bills before Congress to repeal the law authorizing the them. general election is held but that the fact comes to light that these officers are very obnoxious to the Democratic party, and now they propose to have them stand aside. The bills will, probably some of them, be passed by the House, but that will most likely be the end of them. Anything that looks like protection of the ballot box from fraud by the Government has long been very distasteful to that party. No one sees so plainly the uselessness of the sheriff as the horse thief.

Among the estimates for harbor improvements submitted to Congress by the Secretary of the Treasury from calculations made by the Government Engineer, are the following, in Michigan: Au Sable, \$27,000; Black Lake, \$20,-000; Cedar River, \$40,000; Charlevoix, \$40,000; Cheboygan, \$26,000; Frankfort, \$50,000; Grand Haven, \$100,000; Marals, \$200,000; Ludington, \$30,000; Manistee, \$40,000; Marquette, \$63,000; Monroe, \$3,000; Muskegan, \$50,000; Ontonagon, \$60,000; Pentwater, \$25,-000; Portage Lake, \$50,000; Sand Beach, \$100,000; St. Joseph, \$45,000; Saugatuck, \$8,000; South Haven, \$20,-000; Thunder Bay, \$5,000; White River, \$40,000.

It has been proven that Joseph Chesterfield Mackin, Secretary of the Cook County Democratic Committee, ordered 2.000 bogus tickets two weeks after the election, and that when the grand jury called for the ballots, 200 of these same ballots were in the box in place of an equal number of regular Republican tickets that had been voted at the election Nov. 4. With this evidence before it a sensible American jury would say, "Guilty, Mr. Mackin. Ten years in penitentiary at Joliet." The fact that such leading Democrats as Congressman Springer, and others of equal importance, are doing all they can to retard the detection and prosecution of the other criminals connected with that attempted steal, shows that the party by its leaders is in sympathy with the outrage.

One of the most interesting contests which will arise between the Democrats and Republicans when the former shall have taken possession of the powers of government will be over the admission of new States. Dakota and Utah have population enough, and to spare, to entitle them to admission to the Union. The former, judging from the recent election, is heavily Republican, and the House, therefore, will probably oppose its admission. Utah is regarded as Democratic, and the Senate will, for an equally partisan reason, be opposed to making a State of it. A fair compromise would be to admit them both. New Mexico also is entitled to admission, but its supposed Democratic leaning will rouse the opposition of the Senate. If the Democrats should capture the control of the Senate two years hence, the next Presidential election will probably see all three of them engaged in the contest, with an aggregate of at least nine elec-

toral votes.— $\bar{E}vening\ News$. There might be some sense in a compromise as between Dakota and New Mexico, but so long as Utah harbors. the rotten borough of polygamy that territory should never be admitted to State government, no matter what its

Gen. Chalmers, of Mississippi, has a scheme for the protection of the ballot in his state. He has served notice of contest on Judge John B. Morgan, Congressman-elect from the Second District of Mississippi, and says that his friends report to him frauds from every county of the district excepting Tippan. He says the United States supervisors were not permitted to remain at the ballot-boxes during the adjournments at many places; that the law of the United States was completely nullified. He says that in Mississippi the Independents and Republicans are not allowed any inspector or clerk at the boxes where they have large majorities and where the frauds are contemplated. To remedy this he has prepared a bill which he will introduce to allow each candidate for Congress to appoint one inspector and one clerk, who shall be permitted to watch all the election proceedings, and also to count the vote and make a certified return thereof to the Clerk of the House of Representatives, to be used as evidence in contested elections. When asked if a Democratic Congress would pass such a bill, he said honest Democrats who had been fairly elected can afford to vote against it. It would remove the odium of Federal interference by officers appointed by Federal Courts and at the same time secure under Federal protection to each candidate a fair representation among the election officers. His bill proposes further to elect Representatives at the same time as members of the State Legislature who elected United States

A Crisis at Mishawaka.

Friday night at about 9:15 o'clock fire was discovered in the shops of the Perkins Windmill, company at Mishawaka. Someone had thrown a bottle of explosive material wrapped in cotton through an opening in the side of the shop. It was designed that the heat from the burning cotton would explode the bottle and throw the flaming cotton about the floor which was covered with shavings. Fortunately the bomb struck on the ends of some green timbers and broke. Quite a large hole was burned in the green wood. Burned matches were found near the opening. The fire was extin-

guished with a pail of water. Much excitement among the laborers at Mishawaka has been engendered by speakers and incendiary newspapers. Some of the latter were circulated among the men in Perkins shops as recently as Friday. The following letter was mailed at the Mishawaka post-

office Friday night: "To the St. Joseph Mfg. company if you cut your hands we will have the hole shop in ashes inside of four weeks. Everybody might just as well lofe as to work any cheeper than they at now. We will give you a warning. This is ever allow such a thing?" they said. solid facts, if you cannot pay the men shut down and we will not interfere with the works if you can we will with the works, if you cut we will that they will make good their profes- burn you up. Now take your choice.

We will comence on the Wind Mill have them paid is shown last Thurs. | co. tonight and will continue until into day by the action of Representative ashes don't take the advantish of men when we have got the upper hand of you. Put on all the watchmen you want to we will get there anyhow. claims, for \$4,160, \$17,640 and \$2,235, Also we will kill every leading man in business that cuts on wages. P. C. Per-

The St. Joseph Iron Works and Bost- small quantities.

wick Works have shut down until some definite action can be decided The Perkins company have always been very generous to their employes, deserving no such action from Until the reaction in business appointment of these officers. Not a they paid to within 25 per cent. as high wages as during war times.-

An Example for the Independents.

South Bend Register.

The defeated Republican candidate for Vice-President shows the same manliness in misfortune as has been shown by his chief. He does not profess to like defeat,

out he does not propose to be crushed In conversation with a Tribune reporter the other day, General Logan said he felt like the man who stubbed his toe and sat down on a stump to nurse it. "His neighbor came along and asked: 'Hurts pretty bad, don't it?

'Yes,' replied the man, as he hugged the toe up closer in his hands, 'and the worst of it is, I'm too big to cry, and it hurts too bad for me to laugh.' We commend the example of this man to the Independent Republicans,

who are demanding a Cabinet appointment as a reward for supporting Mr. Cleveland. If they should not get it, we hope they will remember that they are too big to cry.—New York Sun.

Too Good a Democrat for That. "Well, Mike, you played the deuce at he election the other day."

"How so, sor?" "Why, by splitting your ticket. You voted at least half Republican. And you profess to be a Democrat." "I am, sor, I'm a Dimmycrat to the backbone, sor.

"You're an honest man, Mike." "Honest, is it? I'm too honest, sor. That's what's the matter wid me. Does ye think that I'd take money from this mon and that mon to vote for him and then not do it? No, sor, I voted for every Republican that I got paid for, and not a dom one more, sor. The scalawags; I'd loik to see inny of them gittin' my vote widout payin' fur it. I'm too good a Dimmycrat fur that, sor."-Kentucky State Journal, (Dem.)

Tied Too Soon. There is a boy in St. Paul that should Last Sunday evening he crawled under the sofa, and when his big sister and her best young man were sitting as close together as possible, rigged a slip-knot around their feet When the old gentleman came into the parlor to look for his cigar-stub they thought they would occupy separate pews. The young man fell over the center-table, and Mary Ann sat down upon the floor with a 200 to the square inch concussion that dislocated her adinstable bangs. The old gent thought that Adolphus was drunk, and hit him with his cane sixteen times before he could tie himself loose and fall out of the window. The match is declared

Verschiedenheit. Indiana Christians are divided into

fiftv-four different sects. The timbers of a bridge over Potoxchitto Creek, in Newton county, Miss., over which General Jackson marched his troops on his way to New Orleans are to be taken up and carried to the World's Exposition as relics.

mind and body. His parents are first cousins. His greatest accomplishment is talking English, which he learned from English nurses and governesses. Ella M. Moore, who recently took a prize of \$500 offered for the best short story for girls, is the author of the pop-

The Prince of Naples, King Humbert's heir, a lad of fifteen, is weak in

ular hymn, "Rock of Ages." She was born in Maine, and her home is still among the pines of the State of her D. T. Daly, an old newspaper man, writes to the Wilkesbarre News-Dealer that while a boy, living in Fayetteville, N. Y., where Grover Cleveland's

father preached to a Presbyterian con-

gregation, he had a doctrial discussion

with young Cleveland one night which resulted in a fight, and the future President got away with Daly. Mrs. Senator Vance assists her husband in his official work, and in fact does most of his correspondence. She aids the Senator materially in maintaining his reputation as the brightest

letter writer in Washington. "I have read every book in my husband's library. I really don't know what to do for something to read," said a newly-married woman to a friend. "Why don't you get another husband?" was the reply of the other party, who had some experience. The the remedy for you. D. Weston. above is said to have occurred in Bos-

"Why, Mary, have you come back to be a hired girl again? I thought you left us to get married and have a house of your own." "So I did, mum." "Well what have you come back for?" "Well. vou see, mum, John's done purty well, an' we kep' a hired girl, too, an' I'm kind o' tired-av the way av life. I thought I'd like to come back an' be

By cable-"How's business with you Sandy?" asked young Swearhoff, as he met the Czar the other day. "Oh, it's Russian," replied the Em-

boss agin for awhile.'

"Where you Romanoff to?"

"Look out and don't get Dnieper on "Don't be Volga."

"Tar-tar." Customer-"I understand that wheat s now very low." Baker-"Yes; so they say." 'And flour has fallen in price?"

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How to Become Lean. Riddance of undesirable fat, says the New York Sun, has been achieved of late by a number of actresses; and they are said to have done it by dieting, and not by the use of drug; as many suppose. The directions are simple enough, and yet rather hard to follow. They are substant ally the same as recommended by Banting, the Englishman who reduced his weight from 201 to 167 pounds in six months, and then published his experience for the guidance of others afflicted by corpulence. The system consists in abstinence from food that contains starch or sugar. This excludes bread, butter, milk, potatoes, beer and all the preparations into which sugar enters. Unfortunately for this purpose, women almost invariably have sweet teeth; but they cannot part with their excess of flish without giving up sugar. They must consent to live chiefly on meat that isn't fat, and vegetables excepting potatoes. The quantity of food eaten may be as great as the appetite calls for, so long as starchy and saccharine matter is eschewed. This does not leave a woman

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mind to live without candy or peatry.

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TATE 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 Thursday, the fourth day of December, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eight-four,
Present, ALEXANDER B. LEEDS, Judge of probate.
In the matter of the estate of James R. Phillips, deceased.

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Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the 29th day of December inst., at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office in the village of Berrien Springs, and show cause, it 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 Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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CTATE 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.

Spriugs, on Monday, the twenty-fourth day of November, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-four.

Present, Alexander B. Leeds, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Alphonse Teiche, leccased. David E. Hinman, Administrator of said estate ministrator.
Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the 22d day of December 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 sould 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 Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. all other persons interested in said estate, are earling.
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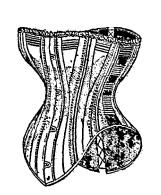
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BARRON LAKE pleasure resort prop-

erty is offered for sale. TRINITY church in Niles celebrated its semi-centenial Sunday and Monday.

MISS MYRA HUNTER, who has been living in Chicago the past few months, has returned to Buchanan.

Miss Lillie Howe, of Berrien Springs, is in this place for a two weeks visit with friends and relations.

Mr. REETZ, of Dayton, died Tuesday morning, at the home of his son-inlaw, Julius Richter, aged 64 years.

THE Mirror thinks it would be an excellent idea to bore for salt, that is supposed to underlie the city of Niles.

MISS IDA DEARMOND went last Saturday morning to Jackson, to spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Al. Hunt. MR. AND MRS. OSCAR EDDY started

Tuesday morning for their winter

Our elegant street lights were highly appreciated by those who had occasion to travel the sidewalks Sunday

Tire mite society of the Advent church will meet at Mrs. J. E. Barnes', on Thursday, Dec. 18, 1884. A full at-

tendance is desired. THE Mirror nominates Editor Hill as postmaster in this place. Just as if the Greenbackers were expected to have any of the Democratic pap.

GEORGE BATCHELOR and L. B. Hildreth have started a milk wagon for this place. Competition is the life of business, especially the milk business.

THE second meeting of the Philharmonic Society added a number of members. The meetings will be held regularly Tuesday evenings, at-Good Tem-

THE Odd Fellows of Benton Harbor ledicated their new hall Tuesday evening. There was a large crowd present and the exercises are reported to have been very interesting.

DR. J. M. ROE and wife, Mrs. Henry Lough, Mike Meffort and wife, and others started Tuesday morning for Florida, where they expect to remain during the winter.

ELDER R. MOFFETT, of Cleveland, Ohio, of national reputation as a speaker; will preach at the Christian church next Wednesday evening, the 17th inst.

Come and hear him. If parties who answer advertisements found in the RECORD will men-

tion the fact that they saw the advertisement in the RECORD, it will be conferring a favor on the needy.

Tms vicinity received a good wetting down Friday and Saturday that will be welcome to those who had empty wells and cisterns, and a good thing for the growing wheat.

DRESSED hogs bring \$4.50 to \$5 per cwt, in the market now, but smoked hams still retail at 14 cents per pound by the whole ham. Hogs' hams are too high in proportion to the rest of their

THE papers in this county who are advertising the Magneton Appliance Company without cash in advance, are donating their space to a firm of dead

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overhauled, repacked and otherwise improved, and works about as well as

ever. The company had it out last evening and gave it a short play, at throwing water over the Oak street church steeple. List of letters remaining uncalled for in the postoffice at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending Dec. 11: E. H. Luce, Wm. Neitz, Rickey Rhoads (dead letter), Mr. A. Richard, James B.

Smith, W. S. Weaver, P. C. Williams.

Postal card: Mrs. James Kinney.

L. P. ALEXANDER, P. M. DAVID BROWN who has been putting up a custom grist mill in Niles starts his machinery this week. For several years Niles has been without a custom mill, all of the mills in that city being consolidated as the Niles Milling Company, for a merchant milling business

For youngsters who are just beginning to take an interest in books. You may look a number of times and not find a magizine that will be better suited to their wants than "Our Little Ones." Published by the Russell Publishing Company, Boston. Subscriptions taken at this office.

exclusively.

THE Vandalia railroad company have their line in working operation to South Bend, and it is natural to expect that they will want to reach Lake Michigan at an early date. Buchanan being not far out of the line between the two points it stands those of our citizens who are interested in railroad matters well in hand to keep posted on the movements and intentions of that

THERE should be some signs put up on Front street, "Cross-walk Here." It would puzzle a philosopher to tell by the surface indications the exact location of some of those cobble stone crossings.

Later.—The Marshal has been there with a shovel and temporarily unearthed a few of them.

THE report of the Auditor General just out contains a great amount of information that is of interest to the taxpayers of the state. Among other things, it shows the indebtedness of Berrien county for township and school district expenses to be \$165,102,50, of which \$110,857.44 is for railroad aid bonds, and \$53,368.45 school debt. The report is for the year 1881. The reason for the report not coming to a later date is that the delinquent tax lands for that year were the last ones sold and the account settled.

THE Republican papers in the central part of the State are bringing forward George M. Dewey for the position of Sergeant-at-Arms in the State Senate. Mr. Dewey always fills every place he attempts, besides he used to be a Buchanan man, and for these reasons we should be pleased to see Geo. M. Dewey get the appointment, if he

MR. ISAAC HATHAWAY will sell a lot of personal property; mostly live stock, among which is 300 good stock sheep, at public, auction, at his residence, in Lake township, two miles northeast of Bridgman, next Saturday, Dec. 13. Charles Evans, auctioneer. This sale was advertised for last Saturday, but owing to the heavy rain it was adjourned to the above date.

Notice to Tax-Payers of Bertrand Township.

I will be at my residence every Friday in December; at the First National Bank in Niles on Wednesday, the 10th, and every Wednesday thereafter; at the bank in Buchanan on Saturday, the 13th, and every Saturday thereafter, and in the village of Dayton on Tuesday, the 23d and 30th, for the purpose of receiving taxes.

PETER WOMER, Township Treas.

WE have a faint idea that the Board of Supervisors will not make so many donations of the county money for the benefit of private corporations that should be either self-supporting or not exist, as they have heretofore. At the last meeting of the Board there was considerable of a laugh on a member who first tried to dodge a vote on the question of giving \$800 to agricultural societies then pronounced it a swindle, but on being crowded, voted for the

RUNAWAY.-C. O. Hamilton's team had a rather peculiar circus yesterday. They started from their barn, down Front street and Portage street, up Second and West streets to Front, and back to the barn. As they swung out to Front street from West, Mr. Bert Aldrich, who was holding to the lines, was thrown out and struck on his head and shoulder on the .stone gutter at the front of the Devin place, cutting an ugly gash over his eye and bruising him somewhat, although it is thought no serious injury. In the circuit they had two or three runaways and as

Grant Pruyn, of this township, has court last week he plead guilty to the charge of forgery and was sentenced to eighteen months in the State prison at Ionia. For some time he was wanted here for obtaining goods from Todd Bros. on false pretenses. He left the State, however and managed to evade arrest. About a year ago he returned and secured employment in the vicinity of Buchanan. Being short run for lry goods, he secured a suit of clothes in Buchanan on an order bearing the name of his employer, but later investigation revealed the fact that the order was forged. Warrant was issued for the arrest of the forger, and he was found working for a farmer near Eau laire. On examination he was sent to Berrien to await trial in the circuit court, where he plead guilty to the charge upon being arraigned, and was

sentenced as above.—Benton Harbor Expositor. Pruyn is the fellow who tried to get a suit of clothes of Weaver & Co. on an order with W. I. Cauffman's name

More Swindlers.-A short time since a sleek looking specimen of humanity called upon farmer Hendricks, of Lake township, with a new fangled patent washing machine, that he was very anxious to have shown about the neighborhood, and urged Mr. Hendricks to take one, and call the neighbors in. Having settled that matter the agent asked Mr. Hendricks to Cleveland, O. We wish him success. please write his name in a little book, 'simply for reference, you know," so that he might not forget him. It was not long before Mr. Hendricks was confronted with a note for nearly \$200, with his name at the bottom, and he was requested to pay up shortly. So far as heard from he has not received the four dozen machines the notes specified, nor has he paid the little note. One of Hendricks' neighbors had the same kind of a game played on him on the same day, with a pot of paint in place of the patent washing machine. The denizens of Lake township are arming themselves with bull dogs and shot guns, and are on picket duty for washing machine and paint peddlers, with blood in their eye.

WATERWORKS .- Mr. Morgan, of Chicago, who was here last week to talk about waterworks to our citizens, has submitted a map and proposition. His map shows a large well with boiler andpump, on the grounds just south of the High School building. A line of mains from that point north to Front street to Black & Willard's, south on Oak street, Portage street and Day's avenue to the M. E. church. A line connecting the three ends at Smith street. north on Main street to Third, west on Third to West street, south on West street to old school house grounds, where a stand pipe, seventy five feet high with a capacity of 30,000 gallons, is shown. The mains to be of Wykoff's patent wooden mains, which are manufactured in Bay City; the standpipe of iron and brick, and the pumping machinery first class. Hydrants to be placed at convenient points not over 1,000 feet apart, each with two hose connections. The map shows one of these at the front of the school building, one at the corner of Detroit and Front streets, one at the front of Capt. Richards' residence, and at equal intervals about the entire line. The map also shows the scope of country that may be covered from these hydrants with 1,000 feet of hose, calculating that the hose may always be lain in a straight line from the hydrant to the fire, which includes W. O. Hamilton's property on the west, the Michigan Central property on the south, J. M. Bliss on the north, and J. E. Barnes on the east. For all of this he wants \$16,636, which he considers rock bottom hard times price, with glory for profit, and proposes to hold the offer open for thirty days for acceptance. In case it is decided to accept Mr. Morgan's proposition our indebtedness will be \$10,000 at perhaps five per cent, \$12,000 school debt at ten per cent, and about \$3,500 village debt now on hands, besides incurring the additional exwhich will be partly or wholly balanced by the private water rent. The purchase of a steamer for fire protection, with the cisterns necessary to make it of any benefit, will cost \$5,000 or \$6,000, or about one-third the cost of the waterworks, with no chance of any water rent to balance the expense, and with no value whatever attached

WILLIAM LOUGH, who keeps apples for sale in Strayer's cellar, on north Michigan street, was trying to roll a barrel of apples up the steps this forenoon, and when near the top, the fourth step, on which he was standing, broke down, letting him fall to the floor with the barrel on top of him. Mrs. Lough heard his cries for help and ran down cellar, where she found him lying with the barrel on his breast. She raised the barrel off his body as quickly as she could and sent for some one to help get the injured man up stairs. Doctors Patridge & Myers were quickly summoned, who found, on examination that no bones were broken but the body badly bruised. The injuries are of such a character that the physicians cannot predict the result as yet, but they have hopes of his recovery .-South Bend Tribune, Saturday.

to it aside from its fire fighting capac-

THE list of jurors drawn to serve at P. M. Kinney, Benton. D. D. Carnahan, Benton. E. P. Spaulding, Buchanan John Perrott, Buchanan, Joe Lewis, Bainbridge. Vitillus Baker, Bertrand. E. T. Dickson, Berrien. Gilson Norris, Chickaming. Geo. W. Lee, Galien. Quincy A. Hassett, Hager. D. B. Defield, Lake. Nicholas VanDusen, Lincoln Michael Wiedeman, New Buffalo. James M. Beall, Niles Township. Chauncey Sabin, Niles c. 1&4 wards Theopilus Parvis, " Wm. J. Jones, Oronoko. Chas. A. Ireland, Pipestone. James Roberts, Royalton. Chas. M. Babcock, Sodus. Charles Miller, St. Joseph Daniel Savage, Three Oaks. Chauncey Price, Watervliet.

Richards B. Metzger, Weesaw. Niles Mirror.] Several years ago a well was sunk through salt water and one quart made near a pint cup full of salt. They tubed by this in search of oil At a meeting of the members of the Berrien County Agricultural Society, held at the office of D. Bacon, on Monday, Dec. , the following named gentlemen were elected officers of the society for the ensuing year: President, W. B. Davis; Vice President, James Badger; Treasurer, Samuel C. Thomson; Secretary, E. P. Ely; Directors, H. C. Platt, Dr. S Belknap, Geo. M. Gilette, Jacob Brenner, Jas. Truett, Asa Hamilton, Wm. P.Bunbury, Jerome Wood, Wm. A. Palmer, John Huss.

GALIEN ITEMS.

We are to have a new brass band. The church social at the M. E. church on Friday évening, was a decided suc-Born to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Glover

Jr., on Friday, Dec. 5, a daughter. David Cornwell has taken a contract to put dówn thirteen drive wells for a Mr. Lenard of Valparaiso. His brother, James Cornwell, will do the work. Henry Rennie, our enterprising hardware merchant, was married on Thanksgiving day, to one of Berrien Springs fairest daughters. The bride remained in Berrien to finish a term of school. Henry returned, and the boys each

smoked a first-class cigar. Miss H. L. Appleton, who has been seriously ill, is recovering under the treatment of Dr. Henderson of Buchanan.

Mr. B. R. Sterns, the popular host of the Commercial House, started for Kansas, Friday, to visit his mother. There was a big time at Uncle Peter Critchet's, Thursday, It was occasion-

Special

ed by the birthday of Mrs. David Wright, his youngest daughter. Geo. Redding has secured a position as traveling salesman for a firm in Wm. H. Beach went to Elkhart one day last week to consult Dr. Miles, the occulist, and returned much improved in the way of a bran new pair of specs. Mrs. Howell, widow of the late Jas.

Miss Alva Davidson, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Mead, near Buchanan, returned home Thursday. The people of this community thought they had great cause to re-

Howell, returned to her home Satur-

joice over the arrest of two chicken thieves, who were taken into custody by Constable Alcott. He left them in care of Ira Cowel, and he left them in care of Dave Wright, when one of them plead hunger and he allowed him to go to supper. Query-Why did he not return? Јимво.

FROM BERRIEN CENTRE,

Dec. 8, 1884. Prof. Chandler is on hand to organ ize a music class at Maple Grove church. We trust the patronage will be good. Mr. W. H. Becker and family returned on Friday last from Pennsylvania, where they have been visiting friends. They report a pleasant time.

Mr. Harry Peck is the happy father of a bouncing twelve pound boy. There is rumor that our highly esteemed friend and neighbor, Hon. Thos. Mars, has a fair chance of securing the State Oil Inspectorship, under the new administration of the State. He is eminently capable and worthy, and we heartily wish him success. Our schools are progressing finely under an efficient corps of teachers, and

good work is reported from every

quarter, A teacher's institute will be held at Grange hall Friday evening, Dec. 26. Every teacher, and parent, and school officer is personally and earnestly invited to attend and take part freely. The hunters to the north woods came back with only the sport and their guns. They report too many hunters

and too many dry leaves to secure the game sought. The Society of I. O. O. F. are demonstrating the munificence of the Order by instituting wood bees for those needing fuel and unable to get it, and raising a subscription for another who was

so unfortunate as to lose his cow. We are loth to note that two young men, who know better, have gone so far as to sacrifice their standing and respect in our community by setting up, under cover of the darkness, a "pool s'loon," thereby instituting a resort for loafers and gamblers. This is an insult to the moral convictions and earnest wishes of every respectable family and person in our community, and should not be tolerated. "Eternal vigilance is the price of liberty."

THREE OAKS ITEMS.

Weather cool and roads rough. The Featherbone maching shop had a valuable lot of tools taken from it last Sunday. No traces have yet been found of them. A man from Niles stopping at the Martin House, had an overcoat taken the same day. We think

the thief could better have gone to Teachers institute here last Saturday. A big turn out for a very rainy day. Wright had a very long rough ride yesterday, to attend a funeral of an old lady by the name of Murdock, living

north of Galien in Weesaw. W. A. Palmer, of Buchanan, was in town Monday after witnesses to attend the U. S. Court at Grand Rapids

Dr. Paxon had the Woodland house sit for a picture on last Saturday,

Elmer Wright has a new windmill.

State Items.

The latest developments in coal at Corunna indicate a vein six feet deep. There are 608 prisoners in the peni-

tentiary at Jackson. Teams were crossing the Ontonagon river on the ice early in the week. Roscommon oil excitement is not so

wild as it was a year ago. Washtenaw was this year the heaviest wheat-producing county in the

State. An enemy to canines scattered poison upon the streets of Vassar; result, twenty-five dead dogs.

A 12-year-old Lenawee county boy has

made \$22 on wood chuck scalp bounty this year. - Evening News. An upper peninsula trespasser on

government land has been fined \$960 at Grand Rapids. There were new apples as large as

plums on some trees in Saugatuck a few days ago. The law and order league of School-

craft has prevented the open sale of liquor since May 1. Edward McManus of Troy, Oakland county, has sunk an oil well 400 feet

on his farm which flows at the rate of 40 barrels per day. The Inter Ocean yesterday devoted nearly an entire page to Marquette, the

metropolis of the Michigan' mining

The artesian well at the Adrian water works is now about 1.030 feet deep. the last 700 feet being entirely through shale and limestone. The well will be

sunk to a depth of 1,700 feet. A Mr. Griggs of Rochester, Mich., writes that he has shipped this season 22,311 barrels of apples, and asks if he is not the champion. 'A stray dog entered the farm yard

of Enoch Smith at White Oak recently

and bit several cattle and sheep. Soon after it was discovered that the dog An inventor is at Muskegon trying to introduce his method of gas manufacturing from saw dust, claiming it

ean be done cheaper and better than

Dewey & Son of Kalamazoo, Mich. have purchased the timber growth (white pine) of 3,100 acres in Jackson county. Tennessee, and will erect a large factory at Chattanooga. The estimate is that the tract contains 20. 000,000 feet.

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Scarf Pins, and many other things too numerous to mention.

Thanking the people for the kind patronage we received from them since we have been here, and trusting to see you again,

WE REMAIN VERY TRULY YOURS,

H. OPPENHEIM & SON,

Constantine is again stricken with the diphtheria, and the public schools have been closed. The common council censure the citizens for carelessness in spreading the disease.

Two mormon elders have been tryng to make converts at Brighton, but found the field very unpromising for conversions and bidding fair to pan out well in tar and feathers. Therefore

Cash for Pelts and Furs.

Glass goblets that formerly sold in Pittsburg at \$6 per dozen now sell at \$2, while those that sold at \$2 now bring but 35 cents per dozen. This is the way a protective tariff taxes the people.—Detroit Post.

Probably the happiest men in the State are the jurymen who are serving in the Crouch murder case. Two or three months without a privilege of conversing with themselves or any one else, and a deputy sheriff to watch

tomers guessing on how many seeds there are in a pumpkin on exhibition at his store, for \$75 worth of prizes, each purchaser of twenty-five cents worth of goods is allowed a chance to guess. Is this a gift enterprise?

north part of the state, proposes to have the legislature regulate the sale of eggs, which he thinks should be sold by the pound. He is undoubtly right but it is no business of the legislature. There were shipped from Lowell by

poultry this year; most of it within two days. In addition to this there were several shipments by freight. Hence Lowell is not nearly so fowl as it was before Thanksgiving.—Lowell A gain of 500,000 in Republican ma

jorities in the northern states, a decreased Democratic majority in the house of representatives, a Republican gain in the United States senate, the defeat of fusion in Michigan and the election of a man of capacity and a true Republican as governor, are some of the encouraging results of the election just ended .- Detroit Post.

home!"—is the answer. Marcellus usually scoops the persimmons on something or other. This time it comes to the front with a family named Naylor, living over on the St. Joseph county line, which numbers 21 souls, 10 of whom are children, the progeny of the same father and mother. At present 14 of the children are at home. Wheat at 70 cents a bushel is plenty high enough when you have got

Three Armada youths filled up on Richmond tanglefoot till they reached the idotic stage and then started to drive home. On the way one of them fell out of the carriage and was dragged several miles over the frozen roads by his overcoat catching on the step. His drunken companions were gloriously oblivious of their surroundings and knew nothing of his peril until a passer by stopped them and rescued him, horribly mutilated about the face and

The flot Water Cure.

Locals.

For good, honest, long-wearing Shoes go to D. H. BAKER & BRO'S:. South Bend, Ind. My stock is now full of everything

in my line, at prices way down. I will not be undersold on anything. Largest line of Christmas Cards in

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Dodd's Drug Store. A Dowagiac merchant has his cus-New Goods to-day. Our stock is always fresh, New Prints, new Ginghams, new style Dress Flannels. Come and see them at our store.

Now some fastidious chap in the Everything in the Grocery line at bed rock prices, at OH MY! Just look at J. K. Woods' Holiday Slippers before buying. Cheap

express four tons of Thanksgiving

The following from the Lowell Journal will apply-to several other towns: There are a few smart (?) boys in Lowell who will see the inside of prison before they get old enough to vote unless they change their course. There are some parents in town who do not know where their boys are when night comes. "Where is my wandering boy to-night?" is the question. "He ought to be at

Hot water as a curative agent seems to be having a "boom" now. Hot water internally, externally and eternally is the cry not alone from the Aunt Betsies but from the regular, gilt-edged, full-fledged profession. Dr. G. R. Shepherd says he has used it for six years in cases of inflammation of the throat and tonsils—as a gargle—and he recom-mends moist he t for inflammations generally, and of mucous membranes in particular. We once beard Dr. Parker remark that there is much truth in the old Thompsonian aphorism that "heat is life and cold is death," and we are glad to know that the common sense views of the founder of the botanical school are being received far and wide.

—Dr. Fcote's Health Monthly.

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Underwear for both ladies and gents, 🥿 t Bottom Prices. GRAHAM. Genuine Buckwheat Flour at

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Call in and see our new Hanging Lamps, at PECK & MILLER'S. / 2 Try that 40 cent Fine Cut Tobacco

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ng Plows, and all styles of Pumps, for L. T. EASTMAN. Don't forget that PECK & MILLER are still on deck, and they will not be 🦯 ५ 🥆

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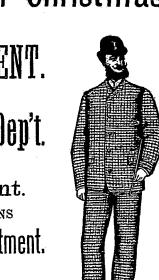
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Anything that can be found in a

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undersold.

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A Contest of Acutene ["S. R." in Brooklyn Eagle.]

Then there are many reporters whose stock in trade is adaptability to circumstances. Each person they are sent to interview needs different treatment on account of disposition or indisposition. or the circumstances surrounding the case. These adaptative reporters are naturally quiet, suave men, with keen eyes and tenacious memories. They will stand anything or go any place, as long as they get the interviews they are seeking. They go at candidates frankly, telling just what they want to know, because they are aware that the candidate will be willing to talk; but when inter-

viewing the president of a bank or company, the matter is different. If anything areals are the same and the same area are the same area are the same area. g crooked has been done at all the officials bend every effort to conceal the facts. They don't want to talk, and will deceive to as great an extent as possible. The interviewer therefore will have to arm himself with a lot of information from official statistics and also from those who are familiar with the way in

which the corporation in question did business and in what transactions it has been most largely involved. Putting this and that together the interviewer approaches the gentleman to be interviewed with a tolerably thorough knowledge of just how the company or corporation stands. When they sit down and talk it is like a game of chess. Each question is a move to be met by an answer which will be a reply and yet not give any information. This is very enjoyable, because it is exciting and stimulating: It is a contest of acuteness. The interviewed must answer the questions. If he refuses to do this he knows his rafusal will be printed and the public will weigh it against him, while if he lies he will be found out.

Some men if placed in this position throw themselves on the mercy of the reporter and tell him all they know, ejaculating every few minutes the state ment that all is said in confidence. This is an injustice to the reporter, whose information is being gathered, not for his own edification, but for the instruction of the readers of his papers and, of course, the adjuration to secreev is disregarded. Another kind of men will utterly refuse to be interviewed at all, and still another will sit down and begin the diamond-cut-diamond fight, which comprises the interview with a sharp business man who is talking against his will.

California Gulf Pearls. [Chicago Times.] Nearly a century ago Juan Oxio first called attention to the wealth hidden in the mud in the California gulf. Great beds of pearl oysters lay among their loathsome surroundings. In 1875 two schooners, each of about 200 tons, one from Australia, the other from England, went to those waters, librally supplied with diving apparatus, helmets, rubber suits, hose, and life-lines, and thirteen boats and boats' crews to operate them. With the aid of these appliances they netted in six months \$125,000. This woke up La Paz people, and they bought up the diving apparatus from the schooners. The yield of the fisheries during the past two years, with the imperfect service offered by four schooners and twenty boats, has been from \$200,-000 to \$250,000 in pearls, and about 900 tons of shell, worth from 60 pounds sterling — say pounds sterling—a ton, or about \$292,-500, making a gross yield of \$542,000 per annum more than the entire capital.

It has always been thought that ears of corn have an even number of rows, and that one with an odd number of rows would be an impossibility. In slavery times this question was discussed, and a negro in Kentucky claimed that he had seen ears of that kind. His master told him he would give him his -the negro's-freedom for an ear with an odd number of rows. This was in the early spring, but in the fall, during corn gathering time, the negro came with a sound ear of corn with thirteen rows. He got his free papers. A long time afterward the old negro said that in roasting-ear time he took a sharp knife, cut out the one row of grains, bound the ear together, and knew just where to find it when gathering time

Crippled His Resources. [Texas Siftings.]

A New York reporter accepted a position on the staff of a large and flourishing daily paper in Houston. After he had been at work for a short time, somebody asked him how he liked Texas. 'I am very much pleased with everything but the climate."

'What's the matter with the climate?" "It is too changeable. One day it is cold, and I need my ulster. Next day it is hot, and I have to wear my duster. That sort of thing sets me back in my finances. It cripples my resources." "How so?"

"I can't make up my mind which of them coats to take to the pawnbroker."

"Well," he said to the minister at the conclusion of the ceremony, "how much do I owe you?

"Oh! I'll leave that to you," was the reply, "you can better estimate the value of the services rendered." "Suppose we postpone settlement then, say for one year. By that time know whether I ought to give you \$100 or nothing." "No-no," said the clergyman, who is a married man himself, "make it \$3

> Had Simply Been Waiting. [New York Star.]

A young lady up-town was recently missing from home for several days. Her distracted parents sent detectives forth in search of her, and after they had searched the country in vain she was given up. The grief of her parents knew no bounds, and when they were just resigning themselves to the awful calamity the young lady walked in and stated that she had simply been waiting for her change in a Sixth avenue dry-

Whitehall Times: The finger of Time points out our errors and the hand of

The United States uses three times as much paint as any other country in the

[Biography by His Son Julian.] He was the handsomest young man of his day in that part of the world. Such is the report of those who knew him; and there is a miniature of him, taken some years later, which bears out the report. He was five feet ten inches in height, broad shouldered, but of a slight, athletic build, not weighing more than 150 pounds. His limbs were beautifully formed, and the molding of his neck and throat was as fine as anything in antique sculpture. His hair, which had a long curving wave in it, approached blackness in color; his head was large

and grandly developed; his eyebrows were dark and heavy, with a superb arch and space beneath. His nose was straight, but the contour of his chin was Roman. He never wore a beard, and was without a mustache until his 55th His eyes were large, dark blue, brilliant, and full of varied expression. Bayard Taylor used to say that they were the only eyes he had ever known flash fire. Charles Reade, in a letter written in 1876, declared that he had never before seen such eyes as Hawthorne's in a human head. When he went to London persons whose recollections reached

to compare his glance to that of Robert While he was yet in college, an old gypsy woman meeting him suddenly in a woodland path, gazed at him and asked, 'Are you a man or an angel?' His complexion was delicate and transparent, rather dark than light, with a ruddy tinge in the cheeks. The skin of his face was always very sensitive, and a cold, raw wind caused him actual pain. His hands were large and muscular, the palm broad, with a full curve of the outer margin; the fingers smooth, but neither square nor pointed, the thumb long and power-

back through a generation or so, used

ful. His feet were slender and sliewy, and he had a long, elastic gait, accompanied by a certain sidewise swinging of the shoulders. He was a tireless walker, and of great bodily activity; up to the time he was 40 years old, he could clear a height of five feet at a standing jump. His voice, which was low and deep in ordinary conversation, had astounding volume when he chose to give full vent to it; with such a voice, and such eyes and presence, he might have quelled a crew of mutinous privateersmen at least as effectively as Bold Daniel, his grandfather. It was not a bellow, but had the searching and electrifying quality of the blast trumpet."

Murderous Russian Ducks.

[Pall Mall Gazette.] In no country are duels more frequent or more murderous than in Russia: the Russians being, especially when in their cups, as quarrelsome among themselves as they are proverbially courteous to foreigners. The mode of combat universally adopted is that termed the duel a la barriere; the opponents being put up at fifteen paces, with liberty to ad-vance five paces each at a given signal, and to fire at will. Should one of them them fire and miss, his adversary is en-titled to complete his five paces before returning the shot. Many cases have been known in which a duelist, although mortally wounded, has yet retained sufficient st. ength to take steady aim and fire with fatal effect. The great Russian poet, Pushin, was killed in a duel a la barriere, after severely wound-

ing his antagonist. In the Baltic provinces a system prevails which at first sight appears even more murderous. The adversaries are placed only three paces apart; their pis-tols are held with the muzzle pointing upward, and are brought down and discharged at a given signal. It may appear almost impossible for the men to miss each other at so short a distance; but this is not the case. Each of the opponents is so desperately anxious to gain the least fraction of a second on his adversary that on the signal being given the weapons are often brought down with so hurried and violent a jerk that the bullets bury themselves in the ground. At a duel fought last year at Riga between an officer and a student in this fashion, three shots were exchanged without any result. while at the fourth discharge the student had the great toe of his right foot cut clean off by his opponent's bullet.

Contrasts of Progress.

A New England observer says: "One hundred years ago it took two days to go from Concord, N. H., to Boston; now it takes three hours. Then the price of supper, lodging and breakfast on the road was a pistareen and a half (30 cents); now it is \$3. Then all work was honestly done (as witness two pork barrels in the cellar under the house in which I write, which have been in use since 1781—150 years); now honest work, as the term was then understood, is unknown. The girls were educated to become thrifty wives and healthy mothers: now it is considered more important to make a good match. In 1772 the average number of children in each family in New Hampshire was seven; now it is two; there was at that time one physician to every 400 souls; there is now one to every seventy-five; suits at law for all purposes not criminal then averaged one annually for every 100 inhabitants; they now average one for every twenty-four. The expenses which a well-to-do family incurred every year for its support were at that time \$400; they are now five times that sum. "When the war of the revolution began, there was but one man in the above state who was worth more than \$30,000; there are now forty-five worth more

now equally divide such work, and they number hundreds of thousands."

than \$1,000,000. There were then but

thirty-five wheel carriages and they

all were chaises save two: there are now

50.000. Oxen then did all the agricul-

tural work, and there were 1,241 yokes

of them in the state; oxen and horses

[Philadelphia Ledger.] The important matter of public conveyances is left to great companies, yet with their 9,000 cabs and 1,200 omnibuses and horse cars, and 13,000 private carriages, there is still complaint of a want of cheap and convenient means of transportation to the growing suburbs. The great omnibus company, in return for an exclusive privilege lasting until 1912, and at prices fixed by law, pays to the city \$500,000 annually.

How It Is Managed. [Cor. Boston Globe.] The thing that most perplexes the young men about town is how "to make both ends meet." Their greatest misfortune seems to be that they try to live a life of luxury on a very small or mod-erate salary. They wear expensive clothes, are often seen at the theatres,

frequently dine in luxurious style at some swell restaurant, and all this on salaries averaging not higher than \$20 or \$25 a week. "How do they do it?" is often asked. Rather impertmently, perhaps, I asked a friend, the other day, for information on the subject. He said: "Well, the fact is, I never enjoy myself so much as when living the kind of life that I have passed during the past two days. "For instance, an evening, dinner at Young's with a friend. We sat there

and talked fully two hours while eating, as if time were nothing to us. We enjoyed a meal such as Vanderbilt might have envied. Then came the theatre. Sunday morning at 10 o'clock we were again seated in Young's elegant dininghall. We sipped our morning cocktail, ate our fruit, and when the other courses were mished it was afternoon. In the every fitting the stable divised in In the evening it was a table d'hote dinner in the cosy little private apartments of the French restaurant. I tell you that is what I call enjoying life." "But," I interposed, "how do you manage to do this on your small salary?" "Well," he replied, "two days of the week I live as if I had an income of about \$4,000 a year. The remaining five I keep myself in seclusion, and move about without a solitary nickel in my pocket. That is my way of enjoying life."

The Flesh Side Out.

[Exchange.] A German technical journal says that the advantage gained in having the flesh side of the leather soles of boots and shoes outside is mainly the peculiar facility it affords in the application of grease for preserving the leather, since the pores are so much larger, besides permitting the introduction of fine sands or iron-filings, etc., which increase the resistance to wear. Again, if the more compact portions of the leather be outside, when the outer layer is worn away it leaves the interior in a soft and tender state, which abrades very rapidly, while if the soft side be first exposed it may be protected, as above mentioned, and when removed leaves a compact layer, even when worn down almost to the thinness of paper.

A London Cat Worth \$500,000. [London Cor. Boston Herald.]
"Come along," said Miss Fite, a noted dealer in cats at the cat show the other day, "come along and look at a few I raised myself. I have taken many prizes for cats, for this is the sixteenth annual cat show at the Crystal palace, and I've had cats in every one of them. We pushed through the crowds to look at the cats of all ages, styles and colors. Little girls had been brought thither by their nurses. It was as good to hear them exclaim delightedly at the various "kitties." I never saw a youngster who did not love a cat, and "pretty pussie" was charmed ad lib. by the little folks. There were short haired cats, long haired cats, black cats, tabby cats, Persian, Angora, tortoise shell cats, and only one Maltese cat. There were cross cats. amiable cats, cantankerous cats and sleepy cats, and, as if by common consent and realizing that they were all on their good behavior, there was scarcely a "meow" in the crowd save from the throat of some tiny kitten who was being bamboozled out of its proper share of dinner by its pestiferous little brother

or sister kit.
"Now," said my funny little spinster guide, "here is one of my family." And she halted before a pure Persian, which

pore a prize ticket 1,000 pounds sterling and had taken half a dozen prizes. Five, ten, twenty and 100 pounds were frequent prices tacked on their cages; but when we came to Ossidine, late Tiger, lying on an embroidered satin cushion trimmed in English bobinet lace and marked 100,000 pounds sterling or \$500,000 I simply took a back seat, metaphorically. Well, Ossidine was a pretty tabby cat, but I don't think I'll ever own him, unless he's raffed for a shilling a try. One continue fled for a shilling a try. One gentleman, eveidently of a sporting turn of mind, who values his blue Persian at 1,000 pounds sterling, gave his pedigree tinted card, as follows: Viola, by Miss Ackland's Tizza and Sultan; sire, Rough, by Miss Powell's Lady Flora and Shah, all winners of numerous prizes."

The Seven-Tined Fork.

Boston Globe. On the "dump," near Rutherford avenue, the garbage of a considerable section of the city is deposited by city carts. It has long been a mine of wealth to the poor of Charlestown, and to not a few Italian rag-pickers. The "dump" is frequented by many rag-pickers and other allies of the junk trade, all of whom rake over the rubbish with their seven-tined rakes. About these seven-tined rakes there seems to hover quite a halo of superstition, which is probably due to the common belief

numeral 7. "Oh," said one old woman, as she fished out a piece of oilcloth from under a heap of ashes, and looked inquiringly at her fork when the writer asked her concerning it. "I don't know, though they do say as it's lucky to be a seventh son, but I don't believe it. I use this kind of a fork 'cause I ain't got any other. We all uses 'em. Do I make a livin' at this? Why, me and me children there, if we sticks to it ken make our \$2

that some mystic power lurks in the

A man about 60 years of age was seated under a temporary hut formed by the erection of four fence-rails in the ground, over which had been thrown some pieces of oilcloth, evidently rescued from the ash-barrel, bin or barrel.

"Yes, I've been 'collecting'" said he in reply to an inquiry, "now for twelve years, an' I've got a little ahead—got some money in the bank. I never found nothing very valuable, 'cept onet, an'

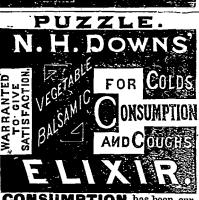


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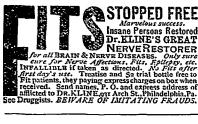
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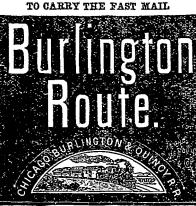
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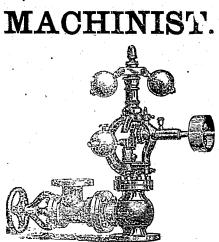
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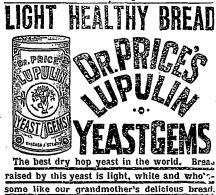
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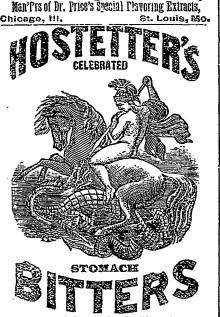
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"Cursed be the treacherous fatherland, Where shame and disgrace go hand in hand, Where the bud is blighted before its time, But the mouldy worm may reach its prime. We're weaving, we're weaving.

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One of the Magnificent Sights of an Ocean Voyage. [New York Graphic.]

At 12 o'clock we went below, and had just got through dinner when the cook put his head down through the scuttle and told us to come on deck and see the finest sight we had ever seen. away, cook?" asked the first man who went up. "On the larboard bow." And there lay floating in the ocean, several miles off, an immense, irregular mass, its top and points covered with snow, and its center a deep indigo color. This was an iceberg, one of the largest size, as one of our men said, who had been in the Northern ocean.

As far as the eye could reach the sea in every direction was of a deep blue color, the waves running high and fresh and sparkling in the light; and in the midst lay this immense mountain island, its cavities and valleys thrown into deep shade, and its points and pinnacles glittering in the sun. All hands were soon on deck looking at it, and admir-ing in various ways its beauty and grandeur, but no description can give any idea of the strangeness, splendor and real sublimity of the sight. Its great size, for it must have been from two to three miles in circumference and several hundred feet in height; its slow motion, as its base rose and sank in the water, and its high points nodded against the clouds, the dashing of the waves upon it, which, breaking high with foam, covered its base with a white crest; the thundering sound of the produce of the most and the breaking cracking of the mass, and the breaking and tumbling down of huge pieces, to gether with its nearness of approach, which added a slight element of fear, all combined to give it a character of

true sublimity. The main body of the mass was as I have said, of an indigo color; its base was crustel with frozen foam, and, as it grew thin and transparent toward the edges and top, its color shaded off from a deep blue to the whiteness of snow. It seemed to be drifting slowly toward the north, so that we kept away and avoided it. It was in sight all the afternoon, and, as we got to leeward of it the wind died away, so that we lay to quite near it for the greater part of the night. Unfortunately, there was no moon, but it was a clear night, and we could plainly mark the long, regular heaving of the stupendous mass as its edges moved slowly against the stars. Several times in our watch loud cracks were heard, which sounded as though they must have run through the who! length of the iceberg, and several pieces fell down with a thundering crash, plunging heavily into the sea. Toward norning a strong breeze sprung up, and at daylight it was out of sight.

Utilizing Stale Bread. [Brooklyn Eagle.]

The persistence shown by the Parisian bakers in keeping up the price of bread, notwithstanding the great fall in the price of flour, has drawn attention to the contraternity and brought out some old facts in connection with the trade. In addition to the bakers proper there are, it seems, a number of second-hand bakers in Paris who trade in the broken scraps which daily accumulate in all large establishments—such as hotels and colleges—where bread is consumed on a great scale. This refuse is bought by weight, the best bits are picked out and sold to the cheap restaurants, which turn them to account in various ways. The bread soup and other culinary concoctions on which customers are regaled in the cheap restaurants, where a dinner of courses is to be had for 20 cents. are ndebted for a portion of their ingredients to this source of supply. The similar less profitable morsels are baked a second time and ground in a mortar. The powder is then sold to the pork butchers, who use it to garnish the surface of the hams and cutlets which present such an appetizing appearance in their shop

[Philadelphia Press.]

A new skating surface, called "crystal ice," has been invented by Dr. Calantarients, of Scarborough, England. Considering that after all ice is merely a crystalline substance, and that there is no lack of substances that are crystalline at ordinary temperatures, Dr. Calantarients experimented with a variety of salts, and after a time succeeded in making a mixture consisting mainly of carbonate and sulphate of soda, which, when laid on a floor by his plan, can be skated on with regular ice skates, the resistance of the surface being just equal to that of ice.

[Chicago Herald.]

The list of goods canned has been enlarged by a company in St. Louis, which has begun canning eggs. A factory has been erected and is now in operation, where they will can 1,000,000 dozen annually. The eggs are put through some sort of a process by which the yolks and white are separated from the shells, and the substance is then dried and canned. One teaspoonful is said to be equal to one egg, and it is warranted to keep fresh for three

The noiseless cabs recently introduced at London by the earl of Shrewsbury have India rubber wheels costing 70 guineas a pair.

A COLOSSAL INDUSTRY. Wealth Invested in Cattle-Northern and Southern Cattle Men. [Chicago Journal.]

The people of this country have but a limited notion of the extent of the cattle industry, as it is partially represented by the delegates composing the cattle convention, recently in session in St. Louis. There are corporations and firms engaged in raising cattle on the plains, whose property is equal in value to that of some of the great railroad corpora tions of the country. The Texas Live Stock association is the name of a corporation owning land, horned cattle, horses and sheep valued at \$45,000,000 —a sum of money which would build and equip in first-class style a steel-rail railroad 1,500 miles in length. The number of corporations owning from \$5,000,000 to \$12,000,000 worth of land and stock is quite large, and individuals and firms are still more numerous who own from \$1.000,000 to \$3,000,000 worth

of property in ranches and cattle. The most of these vast fortunes have been accumulated within a few years. Some of the richest cattle men of the far west were cowboys, working for monthly wages, less than a decade ago. The en-tire cattle-raising industry is comparatively a new enterprise. As recently as the close of the civil war, there was not a dream in the human mind which com-prehended the possibilities of wealth which lay dormant and awaiting develop ment, in the vast plains extending from the base of the Rocky mountains to the eastward, on which the beef supply of the world might be produced. It was known generally that large herds of cattle were pastured on the Texas prairies, that ownership in these cattle was claimed somewhere by some-

might own 1,000 cattle without ever drinking milk, or eating butter or beef, and it was not supposed that all their possessions in horns and hoofs were available as actual productive wealth. That vast resources of wealth existed in cattle and ranches was, twenty odd years ago, a possibility as unknown and as unimaginable as was the possibility ten years earlier that countless wealth lay at the bottom of the fountains of petroleum before they began to flow or their existence had formed the burden of human dreams.

There are rival classes of cattle men. One is southern, or the Texas crowd; the members of the other class own the northern herds reaching as far as Montana. The St. Louis convention was composed principally of the southern ranchers and dealers in southern cattle. These cattle are grass-fatted and ready for market in May. The northern cattle, which hardly begin to get good grazing until May, are not fit for beef until autumn. The conflict between these two classes is a vigorous one, the northern herders desiring to exclude southern cattle from the market till the time of year when their own come forward, and the southerners, of course, resisting this movement.

> The Dead Are Soon Forgotten. [Philadelphia Times.

"After nearly twenty years' consideration I have come to the conclusion that the easiest forgotten people in the world are the dead," gravely said Mr. Connell, superintendent of the Mount Moriah cemetery. You'd be astonished to know how soon and how easily the dead are obliterated from the memory. It's the constant rubbing about in the world does it, I suppose. I have known women to come to the cemetery and forget the date of their husband's death. Not only that, but they will forget the position of his grave, and when asked for the date will often place it three or four years later than it really occurred. There is something suggestive in that, to my mind, of the time when they began to get over their loss, and in some way or other obtained a compensation." "Do husbands forget their wives as

"Oh, dear, yes, that is the easiest thing in the world. The wife is buried, a headstone is placed over her, and we are paid to keep the grave green, but only for a time. One of the quaintest lots in our cemetery belongs to a gen tleman who has buried three wives and is now living with the fourth. He has great care taken of the lot and there is plenty of space in it yet. There are three fine monuments in it, one for each of his dead wives, and each the exact counterpart of the other. The same urn with the weepers and the same kind words in memory of the departed. He wished, I presume, to show his impartial fondness for all.

"Children are a class of dead who, strange to say, are less forgotten than any others. A mother will remember the day of week, month and year of her little one's death, and after years have passed away will walk straight to the spot where her darling's remains are de-posited. This even though she may have had several children born since this one's death. It is strange that a woman should retain the memory of her child's death so retentively and yet forget the year of her husband's."

Sharpshooters Before Fort Donelson [Gen. Lew Wallace in the Century.]

A little before dawn Berge's sharpshooters were astir. Theirs was a peculiar service. Each was a preferred marksman, and carried a long-range Henry rifle, with sights delicately arranged as for target practice. In action each was perfectly independent. They never maneuvered as a corps. When the time came they were asked, "Canteens full?" "Biscuits for all day?" Then their only order, "All right; hunt your holes, boys." Thereupon they dispersed, and, "All right; hunt your holes, like Indians, sought cover to please themselves, behind rocks and stumps, or in hollow. Sometimes they dug holes; sometimes they climbed into trees. Once in a good location, they remained there the day. At night they would

crawl out and report in camp. Banana Skin Marmalade.

[Exchange.] Marmalade is now made from banana skins in Philadelphia. An enterprising Italian has opened a factory and employs about twenty Italian boys, who gather the banana skins from the gutters and carry them to the factory, where they are washed, ground, and cooked with sugar and flavoring.

A Singer's Larynx Photographed.

[New York Sun.] Americans have been for years past acquiring a very brilliant reputation abroad. And now comes to the front a Brooklyn doctor, Mr. T. R. French, who has managed to do what nobody could do before—photograph the human larynx when in action. Dr. Lennox Brown, of London, has obtained some photographs of a professional singer's larynx while in the act of singing. He made even a photograph of the chords when they were producing falsetto notes. But he succeeded in doing it only in this particular case, in which the singer, possessing an unusually unirritable throat, did his best to help him in his

experiments. Mr. French, on the other hand, managed by the use of a kind of pistol-camera and a magnifying-glass, to obtain photographs of all kinds of throats healthy as well as infirm, irritable as well as unirritable, working as well as at rest. The great point was to catch the impression as quickly as possible, and, by means of his pistol camera, he managed to snap impressions of deep ininspirations, as well as expirations, of contralto, soprano, and all kinds of deep and high tones. He obtained even

impressions of the posterior nares, so difficult of access in a living being.

Heroic Cure for Dread Disease [Philadelphia Times.] The negroes indulge some very funny superstitions about diseases and their cures. One of the things of which they have a peculiar horror is the common difficulty known as elongation of the palate: When I was practicing as a newly-fledged student in Virginia an old negress called on me one evening. Her hair was pulled back from her forehead and knotted with a cord in a light bunch on the crown of her head. She was evidently suffering from a bad cold.
"Mars' Doctor," she said, "I'se afsaid
I'se got fallin' ob de palate. I'se done tied up my har' as hard as I can, but it don't pear to make it no better, an' I 'spects mebby I need some pills." I examined her throat and found nothing the matter but slight inflamma-tion. "I don't think you need any pills, auntie," said I. "If you can only get your hair tied up a little closer for a day

in a few days and told me she was much better, but her "ole man" had tied up her hair so hard that she had to sleep with her eyes open, "'cause she couldn' even make a wink."

or two I have no doubt your palate will

shorten up all right." She came in again

Profits from Sawdust. The sawdust and refuse of the sawmill is now made to yield fourteen gal-lons of turpentine, three or four gallons of rosin and a quantity of tar per

Why Negroes Are Black.

[Indianapolis Sentinel.]
Surgeon Maj. N. Alcock has contributed to Nature an interesting communication as to why the tropical man is black, in which he suggests that as in the lowest animals pigment-cells placed behind a transparent nerve termination exalt its vibration to the highest pitch, the reverse takes places when, as in the negro, the pigment-cells are placed in front of the nerve terminations, and that the black pigment in the skin serves to lessen the intensity of the nerve vibrations that would be caused in a naked human body by exposure to a tropical sun; that, in fact, the pigment plays the same part as a piece of smoked

glass held between the sun and the eye. Sea-Sickness. A Massachusetts man has discovered

body, and that they cost but little either to breed or keep, as they grazed exclusively on the public lands. It was also generally known that a Texas herder a sure cure for sea-sickness. It is a counter-irritant in the shape of a mild blister application behind the ear.