

# BUCHANAN RECORD.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 9, 1885.

### The Election.

Following is the result of the election of last Monday in Berrien county so far as our reporters have informed us. The vote was small, especially on State ticket, a large number of Republicans in every voting precinct failing to vote the State ticket. This was evidently the case all over the State, as the Republican candidates came out of the fight badly discouraged by majorities against them: BUCHANAN. Justice of the Supreme Court. Thomas M. Cooley, R ..... 265 Regents of the University. Charles S. Draper, R.....266

Charles S. Draper, R20
Aaron McAlvay, R20
C. R. Whitman, D29
Moses W. Field, D20
Lathrop S. Ellis, Pro
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TOWNSHIP TICKET.
Supervisor.
Alfred Richards, R
Richard V. Clark. U. & Pro27 Clerk.
Robert H. Rogers, R31
John W. Beistle, U.
Charles Blatchley, Pro 3
Treasurer.
Seth Smith, R33
John R. Hill, U. & Pro20
Justice of the Peare.
Thornton Hall, R
Alonzo Potter, U24
Henry Bradley, Pro 4
Commissioner of Highways.
William Burrus, R34
William O Hatheman II & D
William G. Hathaway, U. &. P28
School Inspector, (full term.)
School Inspector. (full term.) James F. Wray, R
Edward McGlinsey, U. & Pro31
School Inspector. (to fill varancy,)
John G. Holmes, Rep31
Eli Helmick, U27
J. Harvey Roe, Pro 5
Constables.
Charles Evans, R31
David V. Brown, R26
Amasa A. Jordan, R33
Robert H. Coveney, R 29
George Meffert, U31
Charles W. Smith, U 34
Homer N. Hathaway, U23
Charles E. Lauer, U21
William H. Aldrich, Pro 3
Almon Case, Pro 4
Elmer Weaver, Pro 4
Frank W. Mead, Pro 4
BERRIEN.
Justice Supreme Court, T. M. Cool
ey, r., 147; A. B. Morse, d., 100; Re
gents, C. S. Draper, d., 129; A. Mo
Alvay, r., 128; C. B. Whitman, d., 99

Ellis and Cressey, pro., each 20; Supervisor, Cyrus B. Groat, r., 175; Jacob B. Crall, pro., 61; Clerk, H. S. Robinson, r., 170; S. W. Bishop, pro., 56; Treasurer, A. W. Michael, F., 163; J. H. W. Crofoot, r., 144; Wm. Horton, d S6; G. M. Dean, pro., 20; School Inspector, Rosina MaGill, r., 153; J. H. Crall, pro., 69; Justice, John H. Rogers, r., 149; John Jenkins, d., 87.

NILÉS CITY. In this city the Republicans elect W. I. Babcock, Mayor, one Alderman and one Constable, while the Democrats elect the balance of the ticket. Messrs. Babcock and Lambert are reelected Supervisors.

### ORONOKO

one of the ablest junists in the land, defeated by a most ordinary lawyer, Justice Supreme Court, T. M. Cooley, and the votes of the people, and Moses R., 121; A. B. Morse, D., 289; Regents, W. Field chosen to manage the State Republican, 108: Democratic, 278; Pro-University. Is it a high compliment hibition, 28; Supervisor, Alfred Bowles, to the voters, or not? On this portion R., 137; Wm. H. Sylvester, D., 264; W. of the contest the result is far from B. Eidson, Pro., 35; Clerk, S. H. Smith, satisfactory to us. It is only locally R., 99; H. D. Howe, D., 301; A. Lemon, that we smile. Pro., 35; Treasurer, J. B. Shearer, R.,

job at Washington.

able to bate him.

-Evening News,

their tickets. If Blaine runs agin, all

the ministhers in America won't be

DARWIN.

"Well, it's purty tough toimes whin

It is a "cold day" when Michigan

102; W. Dester, D., 293; J. Beach, Pro., "Yerra, what koind av a dimmicrat 30; Com. of Highways, Chas. Harper, is Cleveland, anyhow? A whole munth presidint, an' nary a man in the sixth ward have an office yet. Mrs. Casey was tellin' me that Moike is woild. R., 132; Ira R. Stem, D., 257; J. Hollenbeck, Pro., 35; Justice, C. D. Nichols, R., 199; G. H. Murdoch, D., 200. Maybury promised to make a letther carrier av 'im, an' he havin't done a PIPESTONE. shtroke av wurk since, an' nary a soign av gettin' inty the poshtoffice yet." The vote on State ticket was, for T. M. Cooley, R., 124; Morse, D., 91. The "Shure, Doyle was to have a job on the furry lukin' afther shmugglers following were elected township offifrom Windsor, but he's wurkin' at the cers: Supervisor, Anson Lewis, R.; gas wurks jist as hard as iver shovelin Clerk, E. Clark, R.; Treasurer, Milton coal. Preston, D.; Com. of Highways, Wm.

Collins, R.; School Inspector, Chas. E. reland, R.; Justice, Theodore Clark, R. SODUS. This township elects the entire Re publican ticket by handsome majorities. Our correspondent failed to give at all.' us the names of candidates.

ST. JOSEPH. State ticket-Justice, T. M. Cooley, R., 226; A. B. Morse, D., 283. Regents, Draper and McAlvay, R., each 254; Whitman and Field, D., each 250; Supervisor, James R. Clarke, 272; Geo. F. Comings, 308. Clerk, Lee S. Willson, R., 307; A. H. Potter, D., 268. Treasurer, Joseph V. Hone, R., 350; Robert Jones, D., 231. Com. of Highways, John F. Gard, R., 579; no opposition. Drain Com., Hiram Wilson, R., 337; Geo. P. Pullen, D., 244. School Inspector, W. W. Cooper, R., 331; E. D. Crane, D., 24S. Justice, Jos. W. Brewer, R., 339; John Thomas, sr., D., 232. The total vote on the town ticket was 585,

while only 509 State tickets were voted, and nearly all who failed to vote the State ticket were Republicans. The candidates for Supervisor were both Republicans. THREE OAKS.

Justice Supreme Court, T. M. Cooley, 132; A. B. Morse, 130. Regents, Draper and McAlvay, R., each 125. Field and Whitman, D., each 132. Supervisor, E. H. Vincent, R., 136; S. H. Martin, D., 145. Clerk, M. H. Nye, R., 124; J. B. Bostwick, D., 155. Treasurer, Peter Strehle, R., 12S; Chas. H. Bradley, D., 152. Com. of Highways, S. M. Copeland, R., 130; R. S. Breece, D., 140. School Inspector, F. F. Sovereign, R.,

WEESAW.

This township cast 204 votes, and for the first time in years elects a Republican Supervisor and Clerk. The following are the majorities: Morse, d., 24; Democratic Regents, 43; Supervisor, C. J. Smith, r., 15; Clerk, H. L. op., 57; Com. of Highways, H. C Wright, op., 38; Justice, Geo. Fryar, op., S; School Inspectors, J. T. Beckwith, op., 8; L. H. Kempton, op., 47.

### The Choice of Occupation.

Republicans "get left;" but that is Parents often complain to me that what happened to their State ticket, their sons who have been to school all their lives have no choice of occupation, Monday, the opposition having elected or that they choose to be accountants their nominees for Justice of the Suor clerks, instead of manufacturers or preme Court and Regents of the Unimechanics. These complaints are inversity. Justice Thomas M. Cooley, variably unreasonable; for how can one choose at all, or wisely when he knows so little?

I confidently believe that the development of the manual elements in school will prevent those serious errors in the choice of a vocation which too often wreck the fondest hopes. It is not assumed that every boy who enters a manual-training school is to be a mechanic; his training leaves him free. No pupils were ever more unprejudiced. better prepared to look under the surface, less the victims of a false gentility. Some find that they have no taste for manual arts, and will turn into other paths-law, medicine, or literature. Great facility in the use of language is often accompanied by a lack of either mechanical interest or power. such a bias is discovered the lad should unquestionably be sent to his grammar and dictionary rather than to the laboratory or draughting room. On the other hand, decided aptitude for handicraft is not unfrequently coupled with If there ain't sumthin' done a strong aversion to and unfitness for abstract and theoretical investigations. purty soon the divil a shtraight ticket There can be no doubt that, in such 'ill iver be voted agin in this ward." "It's aggravatin' entirely to see that little sawed-off Jones that's voted the cases, more time should be spent in the shop, and less in the lecture and recitation room. Some who develop both repooblikin ticket all his loife peddlin' natural skill and strong intellectual letthers, an' poiles av good dimmicrats powers will push on through the poly-technic school into the professional life, livin' an the city. Faith, Oi have an iday that Cleveland's not a dimmicrat as engineers and scientists. Others will find their greatest usefulness, as "Oi heard Con Finnerty that live well as highest happiness, in some branch of mechanical work, into which an Cass avenue an' niver tinded a corkus in his loife, is goin' to get a foine they will readily step when they leave school. All will gain intellectually by "So Daly was sayin'. An' Jurry their experience in contact with things. O'Broin is to be guvermint officer av The grand result will be an increasing some koind. He's the jude that was interest in manufacturing pursuits, too hoigh-toned to march wid the Hindmore intelligent mechanics, more sucthricks gyard av honor, an' they had to hoire a harse for him. An' it's jist cessful manufacturers, better lawyers, more skillful physicians, and more use-ful citizens.—Prof. C. M. Woodward, sich min as him that's goin' to get all the soft shnaps. It's a foine way to in Popular Science Monthly. thrate min that have been tindin' corkuses all their loife an' niver shlipin

The World a Thousand Years Ago. A thousand years ago, and for a long time after, the world was not all the

geologized, botanized, zoologized, and a sixth ward dimmicrat have to mortmapped-out earthly ball it is now. There it lay, according to the imaginagage his house for to get the hay shkales an' wait till some wan doies in the poshtoffice afore he kin carry letthers." tion of the men and women of those days (or rather according to the ideas of monks; for the men, and far less the women, of those distant times troubled themselves very little about matters of this kind, but left it with Reminiscence of the Great Evolutionist. the churchmen to meddle with such On my arrival at the door at the apdangerous book-learning) a flat plain, pointed hour, the servant evidently full of things mysterious and unknown; recognized the name of an expected and out of the four corners, through visitor, and took me up-stairs at once to a small library room, where I found Darwin alone. He came forward very the gaps of four mountain ranges, which were placed there to keep it steady, blew the four winds of heaven! cordially, putting out his hand in a way Of course, the center of it all was the to make a stranger feel welcome, and little town, or county, parish, manor, barony or kingdom where they dwelt; entered directly into conversation in a manner lively enough to relieve any but outside of that was no man's land. apprehension of his suffering as a great It was looked upon by our remote foreinvalid. At that time he was about 62, fathers in much the same light as it is by the Chinese, who, while making maps of the flowery land on a scale so and he already wore the full gray beard visible in the portraits taken in his later years. We had a little to say large as to show the ground plan of every town and village, mark all the

### A Wisconsin Decision.

For Rent.

LADIES

RICHMOND

Cough No More

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The Supreme Court of Wisconsin has lelivered itself of a unique opinion, but one which will be generally approv ed as tending to the support of morals. A fellow put up at a Milwaukee hotel with a lewd woman, registering himself and her as man and wife. Before retiring he deposited with the night

clerk a considerable sum of money. During the night the clerk absconded with the money, and the "guest" sued the proprietor of the hotel to recover the amount of money deposited. The PINKS, PURPLES, A "QUAKER STYLES," Circuit Court held that the guest could not recover because he had deposited his money with a person not authorized to receive it. On an appeal the Supreme Court sustained the decision,

not on the ground of the lower court. but upon the distinct proposition that inasmuch as the plaintiff had put up at the hotel to commit an offense against the laws of the State, he was not a guest of the hotel, and for that reason could not recover.

### Buchanan Prices Current.

Corrected every Wednesday by TREAT & REDDEN. These figures represent the prices paidby dealers, unless otherwise specified

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50@17 50@40

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Salt, fine, per barrel, selling.... Salt, fine, per barrel, selling.... Salt, coarse, per barrel, selling... Wood, 18 inch, per cord... Wood, 4 feet, per cord... Butter, per pound... Eggs, per dozen... Lard, per pound... Tallow, per pound... Green Apples, per jound... Chickens, per pound... Chickens, per pound... Brick, per thousand, selling.... Hides, green, per pound... , green, per pound. Mackerel, No 1, per pound, selling ..... White Fish, per pound, selling.....

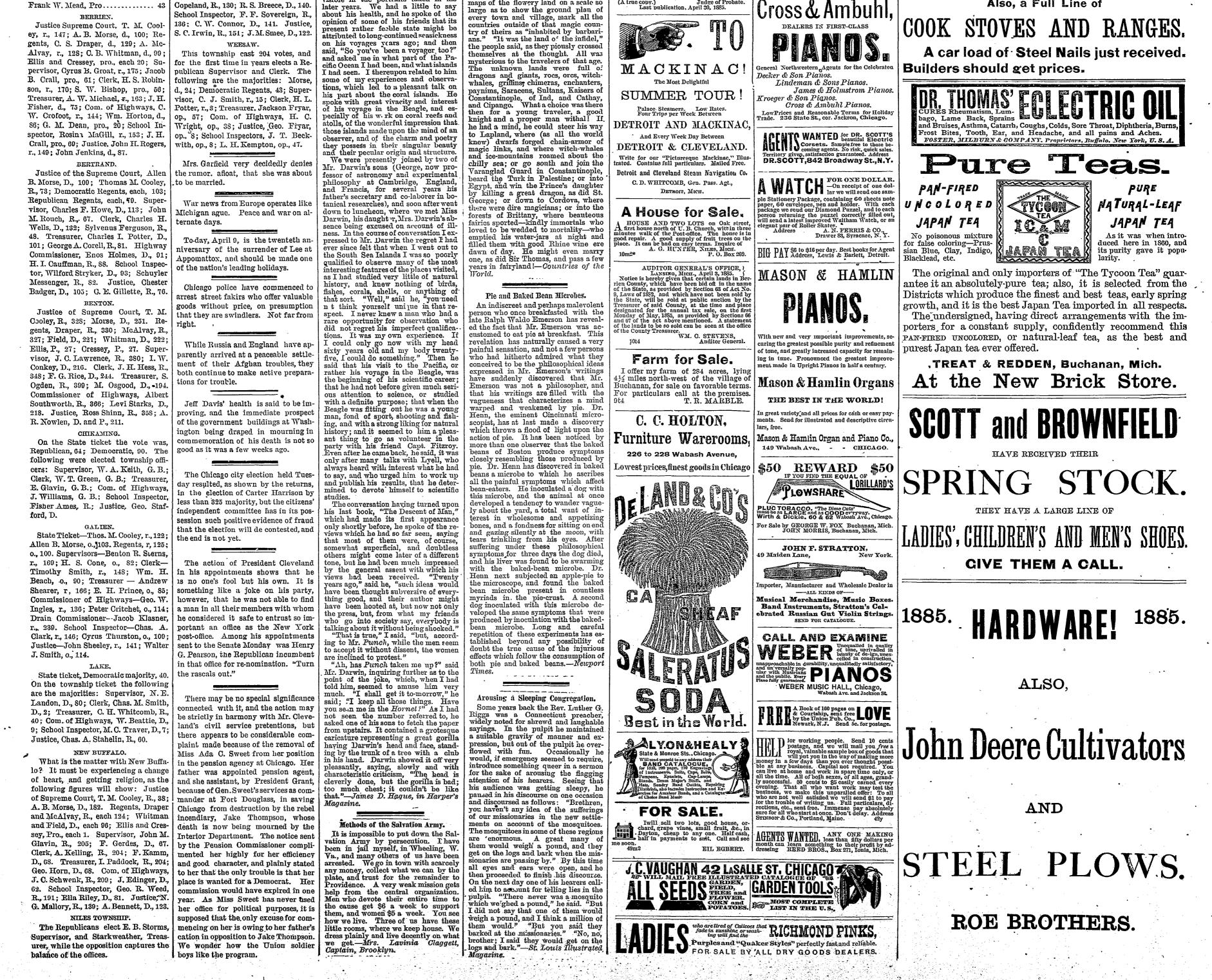
Wool (unwashed)..... Fool (washed).....

#### Estate of John H. Kingery, Deceased First publication, April 9, 1885.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said Coun-ty, held at the Probate office in the village of Ber-rieu Springs, on the sixth day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and eighty-free.

resent, DAVID E. HINMAN, Judge of Probate. n the matter of the estate of John II. Kingery,

In the matter of the estate of John IL. Kingery, deceased. On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Henry F. Kingery, son of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to Enos Holmes, or some other suitable person. Thereupon it is ordered, that Monday, the fourth day of May next, at ten o'clock in the foremoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden at the Probate office. In the village of Berrien Springs, and show canse, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be pub-lished in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three suc-cessive weeks previous to said day of hearing. [L. S.] DAVID E. HINMAN, (A true copy.) Judge of Probate. Last publication, April 20, 1883.





We keep the Genuine Oliver.

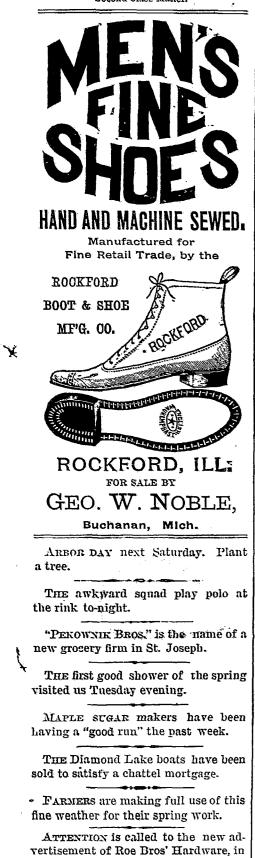
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Enteredat the Post-Office, at Buchanan, Mich., as Second-Class Matter.



vertisement of Roe Bros' Hardware, in this paper. MRS. T. P. MORTEN, of Mendon, vis-

ited relatives in Buchanan, and returned home to-day.

BAKERTOWN population has been increased by the arrival of a daughter at John Redden's.

MRS. BURTON, better known as Ella Davis, colored, died quite suddenly Friday morning.

THE long promised prize spelling school will be held in about two weeks or less. The date and place, terms and specifications will be announced next week.

CARRINGTON, Dakota, Odd Fellows

shop to form a lodge. MR. A. J. CAROTHERS has taken his

little steamer Nettie June from her winter quarters and fitted her for business, and will-be ready for pleasure business at any time now.

MISS ANNA MCGLINSEY, of this place, is teaching a spring term in the Bakertown school. She has proven herself an efficient teacher, and will give Bakertown a good school.

since.

SUCKERS and milk will soon be a favorite diet. The seine drawers farther down the river are drawing this favorite variety of fish from the water by the wagon loads.

MORE has been heard from Josephus some law books.

Benton Harbor a healthy lift and be a

faith of their readers in the human

managers were pleased with the entertainment.

Beistle.

dish for warm wax.

meet to-night at Porter Churchill's tin-

home of Mr. S. Atwood, on Day's avenue, Sunday evening, a Mr. Busselle, an itinerant journalist who has made his home in this place and Niles the past winter, and Mr. Atwood's youngest daughter, Miss Jessie, being the contracting parties. Rev. C. G. Thom-

as officiated. THE amount expended for the aid of the poor in this township, last year, as reported by Supervisor Richards, at election, Monday, was \$1,172.33, over-

A spearing party captured a silver eel in Dayton Lake, last week, supposed to have been one of the trout fry placed in that lake a few years

> to meet the bill. LIST of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich., for the week ending April 9: John Brodget, John Hanover, William

K. Turner. He goes from Noble county, Ind. to Michigan City, Ind., prison for one year, pays \$5, and is disfranchised for two years. All for stealing

BENTON HARBOR people are getting up considerable excitement over a prospective railroad from that place to Kalamazoo. Such a road would give

benfit to the entire county. Some of our neighbor contemporaries are endeavoring to publish an illustrated history of the life of Gen. Grant. The illustrations tend to weaken the

family. MESSRS. STEELE & SMITH gave an exhibition of their wonderful power over the little rollers at the rink Saturday evening. They were greeted by a crowded house, and both they and the

ANOTHER change has taken place in the grocery business of this place during the past week. Mr. J. W. Beistle

has bought a half interest in the business with J. F. Peck, and the firm now sails under the banner of Peck and

MORE WAX.-The ladies of the Presbyterian church will give a maple wax social in the Fulton building next door east of bank, next Wednesday evening, April 15. Five cents will be charged for admission to the room and ten cents a

A DEFAULTER to the amount of sevral thousand dollars was awakene

SOMEONE'S boys have been engaged WE return thanks to the friends who furnished us the election returns of in the industry of breaking the winthe several townships in the county. dows of vacant houses in different It would have pleased us to give the parts of town the past winter, notably vote of every voting precinct, but the Hill property, near the school building. If these boys understood some have failed to return us the postal cards sent them for that purpose. that the punishment for maliciously destroying the property of others in

lando Nelson.-Postal cards-Mary

THERE will be a maple wax social

in Rough's Opera House to-morrow,

Friday, evening, for the benefit of the

Young Ladies' Home Mission Band.

Five cents admission will be charged.

and ten cents a plate for taffy. There

L. P. ALEXANDER, P. M.

Smith, W. C. Garten.

ple wax.

dressed.

take."

comfortable experience

by Constable Evans, and lodged in the

THE report of business of the Bu-

horses to drive to their home in Niles.

They hitched the horse with a spliced

halter strap that gave away, and the

side, and threw him so that he fell

with his head under him and broke his

neck. The loss to Mr. Batchelor is

fromithe Saranac Local, pronouncing

Dr. Calvin Clark, of Grand Rapids, a

with'em.

anywhere from \$100 to \$150.

known as "one of the boys."

this manner is imprisonment in the THERE was a quiet wedding at the State Prison not to exceed five years or a fine not to exceed \$500, and imprisonment in the county jail one year, they would be a little slow about throwing snow-ball, stones, etc., though windows.

> AT the election, Monday, the following sums were authorized to be raised for the purposes stated: Poor Fund, \$1,000; Highway Fund, \$1,000; Library Fund, \$150; Township Fund, \$500. The following pathmasters were chosen for the several districts:

drawing the fund about \$300. The 1, Wm. Broceus; 2, Geo. Markley; voters decided to raise \$1,000 for that 3. Amos Carpenter; 4, Robert Coveney; purpose for the ensuing year, author-5, Raymond Broceus; 6, James F. ized the board to borrow money to pay Wray; 7, H. H. Haskins; 8, Elmer the deficiency, and voted to raise \$300 Weaver; 9, Joseph Fuller; 10, Samuel Rollins; 11, Benj. Tomlinson; 12, John Montague; 13, John Linsenmier; 14, M. Huss; 15, John Burrus; 16, Arthur Allen; 17, Abram Broceus; 18, Geo. B. Richards; 19, Wm. G. Hathaway; 20, B.L. Longfellow; 21, John Perrott; Phillips, Miss Libbie Swartz, Phillip 22, Fred. Andrews; 23, T. R. Marble. Schmitt, (foreign).-Drop Letter-Or-

Board of Supervisors.

Following is the list of Supervisors elected Monday: Bainbridge------ Stewart, R. Benton-J. C. Lawrence, R. Berrien-Cyrus B. Groat, R. Bertrand-Chas. F. Howe, D. Buchanan-Alfred Richards, R. Chikaming-W. A. Keith, G. B. Galien-B. R. Sterns, R. Hagar-E. L. Kingsland, R. Lake-N. E. Landon, D. Lincoln-A. B. Hoover, R. New Buffalo-John M. Glavin, R Niles-E. B. Storms, R. Niles city, 1st and 4th wards-Jas. M. Lambert. D. Niles city, 2d and 3d wards-George A. Babcock, D. Oronoko-W. H. Sylvester, D. Pipestone-Anson Lewis, R. Royalton-John Stover, D. St. Joseph-Geo. F. Comings, R. Sodus-F. F. King, R. Three Oaks-S. H. Martin, D. Watervliet-W. A. Baker, R. Weesaw-C. J. Smith, R.

The Evening News Tuesday contain-SUNDAY was a rather unfortunate ed the following complimentary notice day for Mr. John C. Marble, who lives

about seven miles south of this place. "Wm. R. Hough, born Dec. 7, 1832, Juniata county, Pa. — subsequently drilled in district school and raised on He lost his pocket-book, and supposing it to be about the straw pile went there a farm-when 16, with father, removed to look for it, the dog accompanying to Bertrand township, married Nov. 13, him, when an old sow, in protection of 1853-developed large business capaciher family, made war on the dog and ty-successfully prosecuted farming, managed to come near enough to John mercantile business, dairy, and the manufacture of wagons and windmills ---instrumental in building St. Joseph to chew one of his hands quite badly. He drove to Niles to have his wounds valley narrow gauge railroad-president of it four years and still presides -president of Rough Brothers' wagon works-firm quoted at \$750,000. Has ABE HUSTON was arrested last night been master of Grange association at

Washington Letter. WASHINGTON, April 6, 1885.

Under the Democratic Administration tried men are fast passing away and raw recruits are being introduced. Experienced, capable, and efficient clerks are almost daily put out of office to make places for men of no experience and whose capacity has not been tested. This is Democratic reform. This is running the public service on business principles. Republicans, of course, do not ask anything of a Democratic Administration, nor are

> they disposed to utter useless protests against removals from office. But this system, this purely partisan work, which has characterized the first month of the new dispensation, should be carried on under its right name. The chief staple of Democratic campaign oratory and. literature for a dozen years past has been the charge that

the Government Departments here were reeking with corruption. The most inspiring shibboleth of Democratic harangues has been "Turn the rascal's out". "Corruption" was dwelt upon so forcibly, the "rascals" were painted so graphically, and so moving was the picture of the Government in the hands of "thieves", that the Democratic masses were educated to believe that there was no honesty in the Executive Departments. Senator Payne,

of Ohio, whose official integrity has been mentioned in connection with standard Oil, gave utterance to eloquent thoughts on the Augean stable topic. Vice-President Hendricks dwelt on the same exhaustless theme as he skipped from stump to stump. The country was to witness a sublime, moral spectacle-the exodus of rascals, and the advent of patriots. But after a month of close inspection and hard effort, where is the cleansing? and where are the rascals? Some good men have been thrown out of office. some employes, deemed superfluous have been discharged, and a few old horses and vehicles have been sold, but there has been no hint of detected rascality. The sole object in the removal of officials are to get Republicans out and Democrats in. The Senate reached a final adjourn ment, leaving a number of President Cleveland's nominations unacted upon

Republican Senators, in that way, took a stand against superseding Republican officials with Democrats in cases where there is no fixed tenure of office and no charges have been made against the incumbents. Postmaster Pearson's appointment was promptly confirmed

without any attempt at a contest. The President, who has been seeing a hundred or two callers each-day on political errands has been hoping for some relief with the close of the extra session, supposing that many Senators and members of Congress would leave Washington. There is but little hope for him, however, in this respect. It has been given out that the President and his Cabinet have been postponing a large number of appointments until the Senate got away, and that the num-

Mr. and Mrs. Brightman, of Montcalm, have followed the remains of their four children to the grave recently-victims of diphtheria-and are left Augustine Pequinot, of Detroit, has been awarded \$2.000 damages and \$51 by cash or note, and oblige costs in the United States circuit court against the city for injuries by falling

All kinds of Dye Stuffs, at

prison. Wednesday night count. This is a reduction of 400 in three months. A Dowagiac parent had his own son arrested as a nuisance, and on his testimony the lad was sent to jail for

The first white girl born at Port Huron lives near Brockway Centre. Her age is unknown but her contribution to the race have multiplied until she has S5 grand children, 97 great grand children and 1 great-greatgrand child.

Nothing like being prepared for emergencies. An aspirant for the Lebannon postoffice is said to have fitted up a set of pigeon-holes in his barn, and every morning goes through the operation of distributing an imaginary mail.—Evening News.

childless.-Evening News.

on a defective walk.

90 davs.

Reports are that the ice in Lake Michigan is disappearing very rapidly, and will impede navigation but a short time. An early vanishing of the lake ice will have a good effect on our summer climate.

000 feet. Brine was obtained at a depth of about 1.850 or 1.900 feet that vielded over 50 per cent of salt. It is hoped to strike rock salt after going through the stratum of limestone. through which they are now boring. Should this well prove a success, four or five more will be commenced this SEASON.

While Harry Tucker and Michael Miller were crossing the river just below Mt. Clemens on the ice Saturday evening, Tucker pulling and Miller pushing a row boat, the latter disappeared through a bole in the ice and was swept away before his companion knew what had happened. Miller was a farm laborer, 22 years old .-- Evening News.

The new Kansas liquor law is said to be making liquor dealers of the druggists. A correspondent in Topeka, looking over a druggist's register, found that liquor was prescribed by physicians for neuralgia, headache, sour stomach, colic, swelling of a knee, bowel complaint, hernia, and fifty other evident excuses, including babies and wives. The probate clerk receives a fee of five cents each for recording prescriptions in a book kept for that purpose; and these fees amount to from \$25 to \$30 a day in Topeka alone, or from 500 to 600 new prescriptions per day. Of course many of these prescrip tions are continuous-probably most of them run for a term, according to the pretended ailment. Indianapolis Journal's Washington

correspondent writes as follows; "Have you seen the new bath-room that Secretary Lamar has caused to be fitted up in a room adjoining the Inerior Department?

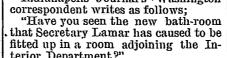
'No

As we have sold out our grocery and crockery business to Mr. Chas. Bishop, we wish to thank our old customers for their liberal patronage during the past six years, and also, we wish to ask all parties indebted to us to please call at our old stand and settle at once

There were 601 convicts at Ionia DYEING AND CLEANING. ment of New York have appointed MRS. LOU DEBUNKER as agent for re-

Call at this office.

The Ludington salt well is down 2,at



"Well, you ought to see it. It has

been furnished, regardless of expense,

with marble slabs, carved mahogany,

elegant chairs, costly mirrors, Turkish

towels, Smyrna rugs, beautiful ivory-mounted brushes and other requisites,

including perfumed soaps and sweet-

smelling waters. Oh! it is gorgeous,

lieve the most exacting Sybarite could

find fault with its appointments. To

fit up and furnish that room must have

made a pretty big hole in the pile of

money that the Secretary saved to the

government by selling the horses and

the department in the transaction of

. Locals.

official business."

vagons that had been used by officers of

and so comfortable that I do not be

SPRING GOODS! BARMORE & RICHARDS.

WESTON'S. W. TRENBETH We are happy to announce that the Old Staten Island Dyeing Establish

ceiving ladies' and gentlemen's garments for dveing and cleaning at New York prices. Send for circular. 6w ADAM KERN, of Dayton, will sell BOOTS and SHOES and RUBBERS at re-

duced prices for the next 60 days, to make room for spring stock. Feb. 19. 3m2. \$500 will buy a good lot and small house, on Lake street, now rented for \$5 per month. A good investment,

A good new house and good lot on Oak street, suitable for two small and peaceable families, can be bought at this office for \$700, worth \$1,000.

Lots of that 5 cent Muslin, at BEDDEN & BOYLE'S.

Finest Letter Paper, Envelopes, Pens, Pencils, &c., at . WESTON'S.4 Spring Wool Dress Goods. Spring

Ginghams, elegant styles. Spring Prints that are handsome. All found HIGH'S. Builders, go to SAMSON & PIERCE'S for STEEL NAILS.

The best line of Groceries in town MORGAN & CO'S. Almost any book you want in Lov ell's or Seaside Libraries, for 10c or 20c

P. O. NEWS STAND. 5 at Ladies, our stock of Cotton Hosiery is in and we show the best goods for HIGH'S.1 price ever sold, at Every lady that looks at our White Goods says they are the cheapest.

HIGH'S. Look at Decided bargains in White and Colored Embroidery, at HIGH'S. 16 NOTICE. - Having purchased the interest of Aaron Miller, in the business of Peck & Miller, all accounts of the firm will be settled by me. All

persons knowing themselves indebted to Peck & Miller are requested to call and settle at once, either by note or J. F. PECK.

cash. Look here! MORGAN & Co will furnish the public with Decatur Horse-



PHACTS AND PHYSIC. The burdock plant is one of the best diuretics or kidney regulators. Burdock Bitters is unsurpassed in all diseases of the kidneys, liver and blood. 5 A Fasting Girl. In Cincinnati a sixteen-year-old girl recently died after a fast of fifty-two days. She had been attacked by something like paralysis which rendered it impossible for her to take nourishment. The human system cannot thrive without good food and good ability to digest it. Weak and impaired digestion s rectified by Brown's Iron Bittersbetter than any tonic in the world.

A FINE LINE OF

JUST RECEIVED BY

THE TAILOR

Come and Examine.

Prices Lower Than Ever.

Mr. J. E. Freeberg, Pomeroy, Iowa, says: "I used Brown's Iron Bitters for dyspepsia and poor appetite; com-pletely cured me." It will cure you.

A petrified body was recently discovered in Texas.

Have used Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil for croup and colds, and declare it a positive cure. Contributed by Wm. Kay, 570 Plymouth Ave., Buffalo. N.

The Zuni Indians have smoked cigarettes for 700 years.

My physician said I could not live. my liver out of order, frequently yomited greenish mucous, skin vellow, small dry humors on the face, stomach would not retain food. Burdock Blood Bitters cured me. Mrs. Adelaide O'Brien, 372 Exchange St., Buffalo, N.

A Pittsburg man secured a divorce pecause his wife played the violin.

Some remarkable cures of deafness are recorded of Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. Never fails to cure earache. 5

Confederate veterans of Louisiana will observe April 6 as Decoration Day.

I have been bothered with catarrh for about twenty years. I could not tell how many different remedies I have tried. and none seemed to reach my case like Ely's Cream Balm. I had ost my smell entirely for the last fif

are two excellent reasons why the social should be well attended: The proceeds will be devoted to the relief of the poor, and everybody likes hot ma-On Wednesday of last week a fiveyears-old daughter of Al. Hunter, living four miles north of this place, while drawing her cart about the yard, fell backwards into the cistern. Mrs. Hunter discovered the child and jumped in after it. The two remained in the cistern in about three feet deep of water, about forty-five minutes, before assist-

ance reached them. While no serious result followed, it was certainly an un-

of one of our citizens:

REMEMBER the warm wax social tomorrow evening, and help the cause by your presence and cash.

A LOCK has been placed on the engine house, and loafers and tramps must find some other rendezvous.

MR. AND MRS. GEO. G. ROGERS entertained a party of young people at their pleasant home Monday evening.

WE have a supply of the copies of the RECORD for which we asked last week, and will need no more of them.

THE postoffice flag is afloat to-day, in commemoration of the twentieth anniversary of the surrender of Lee at Appomattox.

MORRIS LYON is once more a resident of the village of Buchanan. Headquarters at No. 9 Portage street, South.

Mrs. Moses McConneil, of Watervliet. bedridden for years, got up and went to work the other day. Faith did it .--Ecening News.

THE Niles polo team took revenge on the Buchanan boys by beating them in the game at the Niles rink Thursday evening.

NILES so far forgot her old habits, Monday, as to elect a Republican Mayor, Mr. W. I. Babcock being the lucky man.

MR. FISK, formerly of the firm of Bishop & Fisk, returns with his family to their old home in Union City, to day.

GALIEN township voted, Monday, on the momentous question of whether dancing and skating should be allowed in the township hall or not.

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WALT. KEPHART declares himself overrun with business, with attending drug store, Berrien Springs telephone, and that little girl.

MR. HEBERT C. SMITH arrived in this place yesterday from Portland Oregon, for a visit for one month among his old Buchanan friends.

MRS. A. HAMLIN and Miss Emma went, Tuesday, to Chicago, where they expect to remain a number of weeks, and perhaps during the entire summer.

MR. GEO. DOYLE will sell a lot of personal property at public auction, at | saw and received a cut in the thumb his residence, three miles northeast of and index finger. Not serious, nor the village of Galien, next Tuesday, April 14. Chas. Evans, auctioneer.

MISS ELSIE REDDEN, of Bakertown who has been attending the State Normal School at Ypsilanti the past win ter, has returned to her home.

LOST .- A plain black Jersey waist between River street station and the leaving the same at High's store.

MARRIED.-Mr. Emory B. Nash and Children slow in development, puny ance, the face having been eaten away persons to whom is revealed the secret Easter Cards, Birthday Cards, at our town meeting. The only Demneck and fastened to a collar beam New designs in Wall Papers, at Miss Emma L. Banta were married at scrawny, and delicate, use "Wells acts and future intentions of the Alcrat that was elected last year was badby foxes.-Evening News. overhead. His clothes were on him Health Renewer." the home of the bride's parents, in this WESTON'S. mighty, and who is a great hand to and his bed undisturbed, showing that ly defeated this year; and all the rest The break-up has solved one mystery Our stock of Wide Awake village, last evening, by Rev. C. G. The highest price paid for produce of the Democratic ticket was elected. prophesy about events after they hapthe deed was done early in the evening at Odessa. A 90-pound pig, properly Three or four hours every night cough-ing. Get immediate relief and sound Thomas. MORGAN & CO. MISCELLANEOUS BOOKS pen-a sort of "I told you so" prophet. before. He had frequently spoken of Harvey Daken has been on the sick of Andrew Bush, disappeared about the His literary productions that appear in list, and is better again now. GENUINE OLIVER PLOWS and RE rest by using Wells' "Rough on Coughs." intending to hang himself, but no one middle of February and was found MISS NELLIE PARSON commenced | the Mirror give him high rank with a Replenished by the addition of nearly fifty volumes. Troches, 15c; Balsam, 25c. March 14 in a snow-drift alive but a PAIRS, at SAMSON & PIERCE'S. looked upon it as more than a boy's There has been a good deal of maple work as teacher in the Jarvis district "Rough on Pain" Poroused Plaster, new species of humanity, but lately whim, and paid no attention to it. No sweet made in the last week. shadow of his former self, weighing Read the Chicago Daily News, 2c Come and see our goods. W. A. SEVERSON. Strengthening, improved, the best for backache, pains in chest or side, rheumatism, neuralgia. in Niles township, for a spring term, discovered to science and known as good reason can be given for it other Mrs. Merrit Wilson returned from only 35 pounds. He is grunting around per copy or 10c per week, at the on Monday of this week. than insanity. cranks. with great satisfaction, however. Ann Arbor Tuesday. P. O. NEWS STAND. 5 . . .

from his slumbers at Hotel Pike, in Niles, one night last week, and started for the scene of his crime, on the west side of Lake Michigan, to answer guilty

or not guilty. PROF. F. H. BAILEY, who came here last week in the interest of Wm. Perrott Post, G. A. R., was not treated to

the audience his entertainment deserved, and the enterprise was far from profitable either to Prof. Bailey or to the Post.

In a case against the City of Niles,

before Judge Withey of the United States Court, at Grand Rapids, by Mrs. Carrie Philbrick, she obtained judgment for \$2,500 for damages received by falling into an open scuttle in the side-walk in that city. Holes are very dangerous things, especially when they

are located in the side-walk.

THE RECORD is in receipt of a valuable specimen of the Phrynosoma Cornutum, sent by Mr. Chas. Fox, from Fort Clark, Texas. The little fellow is a perfect beauty, and although he lost his life while en route, he is in a good state of preservation and safely

pickled. The curious may view him by calling at this office. Ou, yes! There was a new milk man in town that we neglected to mention

last week. He has taken up his abode with Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hamilton, and although new at the business, appears to make himself perfectly at home.

MR. JOHN HAMILTON has secured employment with a wholesale grocery firm at Saginaw City, and left for his new place Tuesday. While we all like to see John get into a good job, we would prefer, if possible, to keep him an Buchanan.

A LARGE proportion of the sidewalk on the east side of Portage street is in a rather dilapidated condition and part of it decidedly dangerous. The same condition exists on Second, between Main and Portage streets.

MANY of the back alleys in this place might be greatly improved in appearance and odor by hauling out the snow and trash. Clean up as soon as you can, and save a severe attack of spring fever, or something worse.

# MR. ROBERT CLARK, while at work in the wagon factory Saturday afternoon, let his left hand slip against a

neither very convenient. The wound | cases of a number of the pensioners was dressed by Dr. Baker. A NUMBER of men and boys spent a portion of last Sunday in the interest of science and their own curiosity, delving into the secrets of the Pottawatomie graves, on Moccasin flat. They secured a number of skeletons in a good state of preservation, and some other

Indian curiosities.

Buchanan, where he now resides. In village cooler, to await the action of politics, a Democrat-was war Demothe sheriff of Hamilton county, Iowa. crat. and sent substitute to army Elected Justice of the Peace for Ber-Huston had been indicted by the Hamtrand township, 1862—held same office ilton county grand jury for stealing a twenty executive years - and was lumber wagon, gave bail to appear for township treasurer one term. Faith, trial and jumped his bail. He has been othordox—member of evangelical associetion thirty years. Dark complexion, in this vicinity a number of weeks. rotund habit, hight 5 feet 10¼ inches, He used to live about Portage and weight, 265 pounds. A thorough busi-Whalebone Prairies, and was wellness man. Buchanan's material interests have been greatly benefited by

The following interesting story apchanan postoffice for the last four quarpeared in the State column of the Eventers, just forwarded, is such that after ing News, Monday:

July 1, next, the salary of the post-"Della Malony, aged 15, fled from her master will be \$1,300. Applicants for home in an interior town, alleging bad the position are requested to not forreatment, three years ago, to Detroit, where she got into bad company and ward their credentials to Washington was sent to the Adrian home for girls until the drop takes place. As the for two years. On account of good postmaster must furnish nearly the enbehavior she was allowed to go to sertire expense of the office out of his salvice after six months, on the usual condition of turning in one-third of her ary this may be considered a "phat earnings to the home. Finding the place, which was at Three Oaks, irkome, she went to Chicago to her uncle, R. Maloney, in whose family she has Representative J. L. McKee was in since lived a quiet, honest life. Saturthis place last week making inquiries day she was brought before a justice regarding the views of our citizen reat Chicago, having been found out by garding the bill now before the legisthe authorities of the "home," on charg-

lature providing for the holding of one es of larceny from the family at Three Oaks, and being a fugitive from jusor two terms of court at some other tice. The former charge she denied, place then the county seat. The bulk of claiming she left on account of illthe information he received was that treatment. The girl's uncle will stand outside of a small circle of the legal by her, and has engaged an attorney to ight the case, which was continued for fraternity located in the city or Niles, 10 days to give her parents time to arno one wanted anything of the kind rive. Bonds in \$500 for her appearprovided for. There is a probability ance were given. It is alleged that the 'home" is after the third of her earnthat the bill will be short lived. ings to which it is entitled, and that her parents also are looking to secure DEAD HORSE.-Sunday the O'Niel a share of her services, and do not wish brothers hired one of I. N. Batchelor's her uncle to have the benefit of them."

> GALIEN ITEMS. Mr. Gary Goodrich, of Homer, Mich,,

was in town-last week visiting his horse started for home with the outfit brother. in good shape, but when near the half-Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Mead, of Buchanan,

way spring the whip, with the lines spent last week with Mrs. Mead's wound around it, fell out and the lines parents, Mr. and Mrs. Davidson. wound into the wheel in such a man-Our harness maker, Mr. Conrad ner as to turn the horse's head to one

Myer, has moved to Chicago, Miss Lillie Metzger, of Buchanan is in town, the guest of Miss Lulu Jones. Mrs. Joseph Grooms died at her home south of Galien, April 3.

Miss Grace Jones, who has been in DR. CLARK, of Grand Rapids, who poor health during the winter, is once advertised to diagnose all cases withmore able to be on the street. out asking any questions, was made Miss Lilly Swem returned home Frithe butt of some sport, Monday. He day from a visit to Denver, Col. attempted to advertise his wonderful Mrs. R. W. Montross is at home powers, by speaking to the crowd about from Chicago for a few weeks. the polls, when Harvey Haskins inter-Galien has a new M. D., of the Ho rupted him by reading to him an item meeopathic persuasion. JUMBO.

THREE OAKS ITEMS.

dead beat, whisky guzzler and fraud. April 8, 1885. Of course the Dr. denied being the Cal-Owing to the sudden change in the vin Clark referred to, but he brought weather last night, the frogs are not himself into business, diagnosing the favoring us with any of their music this morning. who were in the audience. The joke J. L. McKie returned to Lansing on

was on the pensioners when he inform-Tuesday. ed them there was nothing the matter Town meeting passed off very quietly.

Chikaming had one fight and one straight Republican vote. That was SUICIDE.-Master Frank Chapel, who good. has been serving as chore boy for Mr. Dave Cornwell, of Galien, was in

5. E. Cadwell during the past winter, town, Tuesday. Miss Retta Hollett, of Galien, was aged about eighteen years, committed ternoon Tuesday.

stock of shingles.

ber of changes that will be made with in the next month will quadruple those of the past month. However this may be, the Democrats hope for a wholesome sweep, and enormous pressure will be brought to bear, for the places. It is noticable that, in the past few days, the crowd of office seekers still lingering in Washington has had many recruits with but few de-

sertions from its ranks.

In society, holy week has been devoid of any event of importance. The season, with the temporary absence of several official families and the departure of ex-official and Senatorial families, has brought social matters to

a lull. The critical illness of General Grant has also caused arrangements for social events to be relinquished, Stone Jugs, Crocks and Jars, S cents and has brought sorrow to many houseper gallon. holds here. The President was to have held a general public reception at the White House this evening, but has postponed it indefinitely on account of Gen, Grant's condition. The Nation's hero has expressed a desire to be buried in Washington, and since it is understood that the sad event is inevitably soon, it will not be ill-timed to say that his funeral will take place here also, with impressive ceremony. There has already been some correspondence relative to the matter between Col. Fred

Grant, Gen. Sheriden and other friends of the family. The dying soldier was always greatly attached to this city. Under his administration it became the beautiful capital that it is to-day. It was his desire eventually to return here and spend his declining

vears. [St. Joseph Republican.]

A cigar factory is to be started at Benton Harbor by Chicago parties..... The Bohemian oat agent is working the suckers round about Three Oaks. ... Editor Thresher of the Benton Harbor Palladium has passed his fifty fourth milestone.....The G. A. R. of

Benton Harbor are working hard to secure the next Soldiers Reunion for their town.

State Items. Small-pox is reported at Cassopolis. Judge H. D. Wells, of Kalamazoo,

died Saturday, April 4. Aged 73 years. The Detroit Free Press has issued a rather unique Easter card, advertising the circulation of that paper.

A birch tree, sound to the core and 52 inches in diameter, was recently

cut near Houghton, U. P. Claimed that gold has been discovered at Sterling, Arenac county, while digging a cellar.- Evening News. One day lately the Montague factory turned out 96,000 butter plates. Of this number one smart girl, Miss Kate

Whelan, made 15,000. A Mayville man bought what he supposed was a roll of butter, but in reality it proved to be a roll of potatoes covered with the genuine article. A number of Michigan towns are

The body of the Swede girl, Lena

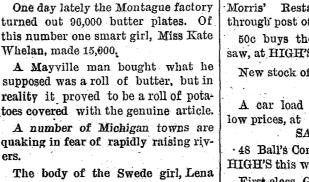
	Coloring Material 	lost my smell entirely for the last fif- teen years, and I had almost lost my hearing. My eyes were getting so dim I had to get some one to thread my needle. Now I have my hearing as well as I ever had, and I can see to thread as fine a needle as ever I did, and my smell is partly restored, and it seems to be improving all the time. I think there is nothing like Ely's Cream Balm for catarrh. I always had a trouble with my throat and a little hacking cough, and I am almost well				
-	Of every description.	of that. Mrs. E. E. Grimes, 67 Valley St., Rendrill, Perry Co., Ohio. Hoopness, a chief of the Digger In-				
	Diamond Dyes, A full assortment. Reliable receipts given at	dians in California, died recently at the age of 130 years. FITS.—All fits stopped free by Dr. Kline's Great Nerve Restorer. No fits after first day's use. Marvelous cures. Treatise and \$2 trial bottle free to Fit cases. Send to Dr. Kline, 931 Arch St., Phila., Pa. 7y1 The income of ex-Senator Hill, of				
-	Dodd's Drug Store. Instruction given on Piano, Organ and Guitar, by V. E. DAVID, Buchanan. EXTRA copies of the RECORD may always be found at the news depot in the post office room. tf	Colorado, is estimated to be \$125,000 a year from his mines. When Baby was sick, we gave her CASTORIA. When she was a Child, she cried for CASTORIA. When she became Miss, she clung to CASTORIA. When she had Children, she gave them CAST'A.				
) t	You can buy good Prints at 4 cents, at REDDEN & BOYLE'S. 4	Flats in the best apartment houses in New York have fallen in rent from 10 to 20 per cent.				
54 5 1 5 1 5 0 · 5 0	A large assortment of Stereoscopic Views, at STRAW'S. 2 Smoke the "Buck" Cigar, at WESTON'S. '2 DINICAS, SCHOOL BOOKS, STATIONERY, INKS, WALL PAPER, &c. WESTON'S PIONEER DRUG STORE. If you desire to study Thorough Bass and Harmony, address V. E. DAVID, Buchanan. CANNED TOMATOES at MORGAN'S,	Hale's Honey the great Cough cure, 25a, 50a, <b>£31</b> Glenn's Sulphur Soap heals & beautifies, 25c, GermanCornRemover kills Corns & Bunlong Hill's Hair and Whisker Dye—Black and Brown, 60c, Pike's Toothache Drops cure in 1 Minute, 25c Dean's Rheumatic Pills are a sure cure, 60c. Some of the Chinamen at Red Bluff, Cal., were excited over the eclipse. One wanted to know if "moon eat um up sun" "Rough on Coughs." Ask for "Rough on Coughs, for coughs, colds, sore throat, hoarseness.				
	10 cenis. 14 Slate Pencils, 2 for one cent. P. O. NEWS STAND.	15c. Druggists. "Rough on Rats." Clears out rats, mice, roaches, flies, bed-bugs, skunks, chipmunks, gophers. 15c. Druggists.				
ちょうし	MORGAN delivers goods promptly to all parts of the city. The largest and best assortment of Crockery and Glassware in the coun- try, at TREAT & REDDEN'S. 9	Heart Pains. Palpitation, dropsical swellings, diz- ziness, indigestion, headache, sleepless- ness cured by "Wells' Health Ronew- er." "Rough on Corns."				
, 	EGGS of pure bred Wyandottes. E. A. WILLARD, Buchanan, Mich.	Ask for Wells' "Rough on Corns." 15c. Quick, complete cure Hard or soft corns, warts, bunions. "Rough on Pain" Poroused Plaster.				
el t L	Just received from New York a fine line of Dress Goods and Ginghams— the finest and nicest in the land, .White goods that are beautiful. GRAHAM. Don't you forget it, MORGAN & Co. have a fine line of Crockery a Glass-	Strengthening Improved, the best for backache, pains in chest or side, rheu- matism. "Wells' Health Renewer" restores health and vigor, cures dyspepsia, headache, nervousness, debility. \$1. Whooping Cough And the many throat affections of				
- L.	ware, in Nash's New Building. 1 I pay cash for Butter, Eggs, Produce, Corn, Oats and Wheat. 5 GEO. W. FOX.	children, promptly, pleasantly and safely relieved by "Rough on Coughs.' Troches, 15c. Balsam. 25c. Mothers, If you are failing, broken, worn out				
- drtd	Come and see some of the nicest Goods of the season. I guarantee prices to be as low as any man in America doing a legitimate business. GRAHAM.	and nervous, use "Wells Health Re- newer." \$1. Druggists. Life Preserver. If you are losing your grip on life, try "Wells' Health Renewer." Goes di- rect to weak spots. "Rough on Toothache."				
r	Some new attractions at the Corner Drug and Rook Store	Instant relief for neuralgia, tooth- ache, Ask for "Rough on Toothache." 15 and 25 cents. Pretty Woman.				
t	Corner Drug and Book Store	Ladies who would retain freshness and vivacity, don't fail to try "Wells'				

Health Renewer." Catarrhal Throat Affection

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Hacking, irritating coughs, colds, sore throat, cured by "Rough on Coughs." Troches, 15c; Liquid, 25c. "Rough on Itch."

calling on her many friends in the afsuicide by hanging, Sunday evening. 48 Ball's Corsets, more to arrive at residence of Mr. George Scott, on Oak ers. "THOSE LOVELY FLOWERS, Mrs. Cadwell went to his room in the HIGH'S this week. street. The finder will confer a favor by "Rough on Itch" cures humors, erup-NILES contains a man, named J. C. E. K. Warren is getting on a large chamber, Monday morning, to call him, tions, ring worms, tetter, salt rhenm, First-class Groceries and a square Mann, who is a natural curiosity among Liverson, found in a snow bank near and found his dead body hanging by a frosted feet, chillblains. deal is what gets MORGAN & CO. The ladies are all delighted with them. Whitehall, presented a terrible appearhuman beings. He is one of the few cotton clothes-line, noosed about his We had an entire change this year The Hope of the Nation. such a large trade with farmers.



GEO. W. FOX. MRS. P. B. DUNNING & Co. have reeived their Millinery Goods, new from Chicago, and are prepared to wait upon customers. Ladies are invited to call and see goods and prices. First door west of the postoffice. Highest cash price paid for all kinds of Produce, at BISHOP'S. Come and see the new firm, and get your groceries as cheap as anywhere in PECK & BEISTLE. the city. Ladies, stop your scolding about your husbands wearing out the heels of their

socks, and call at J. K. WOODS' and see the Heel Protectors for sale by him. They are the boss thing. Plenty of genuine home-made Maple Sugar and Syrup at BISHOP'S. 🖌

We will do you good if you come to PECK & BEISTLE. 🗙 see us. TREAT & REDDEN are going to import their own Teas. They have just placed an order for twenty-five pack-

ages, which will be shipped to them direct from Yokohoma Japan. Will arrive here about July 1st.

More New Goods at GRAHAM'S. A full stock of everything that is beautiful and good.

Remember, BISHOP keeps a full line of Groceries, Crockery Glassware and Bakery Goods, at bottom prices.

Big line of Hoes and Rakes, cheap at ROE BROS. 2 Big bargains in Crockery and Glassware for the next 30 days, at

BISHOP'S. Hosiery and Gloves in endless variety, and at prices that cannot be beaten. GRAHAM.

PIANO TUNING. WILL. U. MARTIN will be at Buchanan on his regular trip for tuning and repairing pianos and organs, on or about April 13. Orders may be left at Morris' Restaurant, or addressed

through post office, as usual. 50c buys the best Corset you even saw, at HIGH'S. Look at them. New stock of Wall Paper just in at WESTON'S.

A car load of STEEL NAILS at

W.A.SEVERSON SAMSON & PIERCE'S.

### THE WORLD'S DRINKING HABITS

From a General Point of View—The Lor don Times' Statistics—Curious Facts. (Chicago Tribune.)

Looking at the liquor-drinking habits of the world from a broad, general point of view, and comparing the evils of alcohol in this country with other countries, the prohibitionists ought to be consoled with the thought that Americans are not so had as they are painted, and the additional thought of what the extent of their task would be if they were working for compulsory temper-ance in almost any other country except this. The following table, which was compiled by The London Times, showing the average yearly consumption of spir-its, wine and beer per capita of population in various countries in litres, the litre being about a quart), will be of in-terest not only to them but to the general reader:

	Sp'r.t.	Wine,	Bee
	litres	litres.	litre
Canada		0.29	- 8.
Norway		1.00	15.
United States	4.79	2,64	31.
Great Britain and			
land	5.87	2.69	143.
Austria-Hungary	5.76	224)	28.
France	7.28	119.20	21.
Russia	8.08		
Sweden	8.14	0.33	11
German Zollverein		6.00	65.
Belgium		3.70	169.
Switzerland		55.00	37.
Netherlands		2.57	27.
Donmanl		1.00	33

From this table it will be observed that the Americans drink les spirits than the people of Great Britain, Austria, France, Russia, Sweden, ( ermany, Belgium, Switzerland, the Nether lands or Denmark in proportion to population; less wine than Austria, France Germany, Eelgium and Switzerland; and less beer than Great Britain, Ger many, Belgium, Switzerland and Den-mark. We have the reputation of being great whisky-drinkers, yet only Can-

ada and Norway consume less. There are other curious facts to be found in this table. Germany has the reputation of being the great beer-drink ing country of the world, and yet it is surpassed by Great Britain, while they imbibe nearly twice as much, and Fel gium, where they drink still more. The smaller the country the more bibulous they appear. In little Belgium they drink (per Belgian) twice as much spirits as the American, almost twice as much wine as the Englishman, six times as much beer as a Dutchman, and nearly three times as much as a German, while the average Swiss drinks twice as much spirits as any other nationality except a Dane, more wine than any people in Europe except the French, and more beer than any other people except the British, Germans and Belgians. The Dane stands at the head as a drinker of spirits, the Frenchman as a drinker of wine, and the Belgian as a drinker of beer. By the side of such figures as these an American. with his five quarts of whisky and three quarts of wine per annum, makes a poor showing.

#### Soapstone for Walls. The Milestone.

The latest invention for covering walls and ceilings is called "soapstone finish," and is mainly composed of steatite. It takes a high polish, is pearl-gray in tint, presents the best possible surface for painting, either in oil or water color, and will neither chap nor chip. It is claimed to be a non-conductor and non-absorbent, and can be washed without injury. Nails can be driven into it without damage. When subjected to heat, and moisture and chemical fumes, it is said to give no smell; it also does not turn yellow with age. It is recommended for hospitals, factories, cellars. markets, closets, pantries and kitchens, and is pleasanter to the eye than ordinary whitewash or cheap paper.

> A trology and Cholera. [New York Mail,]

Belief in the malefic influences of the planets was universal, and the wisest of mankind were more or less influenced by horoscopes. As astronomy and physics advanced and more was learned of the scerets of nature, astrology fell into disrepute. and has exercised little influence over the affairs of men for two centuries past. Now, however, it seems to be reviving. In a recent report of the United States consul at a French port, it was stated that the spread of the cholera was largely attributed by scientific men to the influence of the prevalent astronomical conditions, or at least to telluric and atmospheric conditions, over which the planets are supposed to have some influence.

with dirt. But not a word is there in them that cannot be read. Thus from the date of the first meeting of congress there is an almost unbroken collection in the original of all matters that came tefore that body. In later years a great deal of ingenuity has been shown in making the edges of the contents of the leather-backed volumes as smooth as those of any first-class publication.

and their contents smoked and covered

The ingenuity is the more apparent when it is remembered that all sizes and kinds of paper are used in prepar-ing bills for introduction, and in writing reports and other matters pertaining to congressional business. The originals, when ordered to be printed, go to the government printing office, but strict care is always taken that they are re-turned. The printer's marks are to be

seen on many of the papers. For the past thirty years these volumes have been prepared by an old gentleman who is now nearly 70 years of age. He has a room in the basement of the capitol set apart for his own use. There he locks himself up and gives a receipt for the documents which are ent to him. He then arranges them in his books in regular order. When he has finished a volume he turns it over to the proper official and gets a receipt. The volume then goes to the place set

apart for such records. ('ne would not think that there would be much inquiry for what is contained in the dust-covered old books; but there is. There is hardly a day but that somebody wants to get a copy of an original document of years and years ago. They are always accommodated. The old gentleman who prepares the original matter for preservation is but soldom scen. One of the gentlemen in charge of the iron corridors says that he does not see the old man more than two or three times a year, when he appears to hand over the volumes that he has prepared.

Clerical Life in Washington.

When you consider how hard it is to save money out of \$1,200 a year, and live in a city where is the high-priced gas and the least opportunities for overwork in the land, and materials all sorts 50 per cent. higher than in the neighboring town of Baltimore, you see how few have saved anything here. Besides, clerical life in Washington almost compels marriage. The departments are full of female

clerks often interesting. The girls of the town have no hopes of marriage except with govern-ment employes. Frequently a higher refinement attends this life than under the same income elsewhere, and this re-finement and beauty lure on the young amateur who had expected to be a law yer or an inventor, and he finds himself with a family of children and no way to turn but to the benignant government. The exalted places under this government bring only about \$50 a week salary. The station of dignity is worth only \$4,000 a year. The generality of officeholders who keep their heads up

have married property. Here and there is a lawyer in the department who had saved some money out of an income of \$2,000 a year before he became a clerk at \$1,500. He marries a former client, or a client's widow, and brings to Washington enough money to build a home, and the salary may pay the bills. A number of the positions in Washington are for life, but there is resistance all the while to

Army of the Potomac.

The Army of the Potomac, encamped around Washington during the winter of 1861-62, made itself very comfortable as the days began to lengthen. There was daily drilling, holiday games, flag presentations. and investigations by congressional committees, but no forward movement. The camps of

THE CASHLER'S DAUGHTER. The Merchants National Bank, of Toledo,

Ohio, is recognized as one of the prosper-ous financial concerns of that busy city; and M. C. Warn, Esq., is well known as its Assistant Cashier. Mr. Warn has a daughter who suffered severely from rheumatism. Although only thirteen years old, this obstinate disease took a firm hold of her, and for months tortured her. Hearing that Mr. Warn had used Athlophoros to restore the young lady to health and anxious to know the effect of the medicine

on one so young, a gentleman called upon Mr. Warn, to ask for information about it, which Mr. Warn very courteously gave n this wise:

"My daughter was indeed a sufferer. or several months she was laid up with rhenmatism, and unable to go to school or to attend to her studies at home. We were quite pexplexed to know what to do about it, for the disease did not yield to the ordinary remedies of the physicians. After she had endured much pain, I heard of Athlophoros, and tried a bottle. I was astonished, both at the completeness of the cure and the promptness with which it was brought about. I had supposed that a medicine so powerful as this might have left some unpleasant effects, but it is now many months since she was cured, and there has been a thing of the kind, nor has there been any return of the disease. My

daughter is as well as ever, attends her school regularly, and is taking her useal interest in her studics. I have good reason to hold Athlophoros in very high exteen, and freely to recommend it to all who are affilieted with rhoumatism." From the Bank the gentleman went to the drug store of Messrs. Van Stene & (rosby. On asking Mr. Crosby what he knew about Athlophoros, that gentleman replied: "We have sold a good deri of it, and have have a sold a good deri of it.

and I have heard of its doing much good in many cases. "Their names? Well, there is one just .ound the corner from here. He is a Larher, working at Flower's barber shop

"Yes, I am the man, was his reply, and

lars for a bottle rather than go without it. The rheumatism came on me when I was

on Jefferson avenue. On asking Mr. Flower about rheumatism, he replied, "no, I haven't the rheumatism, but my man Thomas had it, and that— that What-dye-call-it, with the long name —that knocked it out of him. Better wait

[George Alfred Townsend,]

and see him : he'll Le here in a few minutes." Presently in came Mr. G. W. Thomas, a bright and cheery looking young man of about thirty, who looked as if he had never suffered an ache. "Surely you are not the man who was laid up with rheumatism?" 1 was all crippled up with it, so that I couldn't work. Yes, that Athlophoros is the stuff. I would give twenty-five dol-

extending the number of life positions.

[Pen: Perley Poure.]





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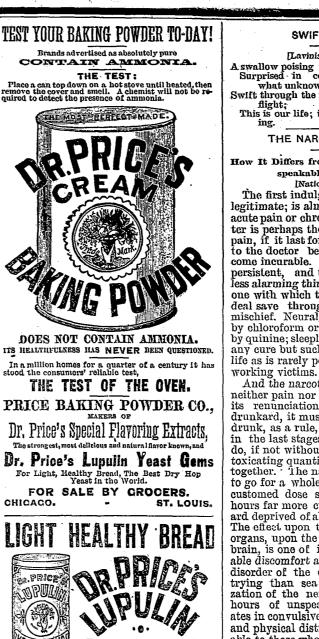
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# SWIFT-WINGED.

[Lavinia S. Goodwin.] swallow poising in the candle-light, Surprised in confines--whence, where what unknowing; Swift through the farther casement taking

This is our life; its measure, coming, go

THE NARCOTIST HABIT.

How It Differs from Alcoholism—The Un speakable M sery of IL.

[National Review.] The first indulgence is in some sense legitimate; is almost enforced, either by acute pain or chronic insomnia. The latter is perhaps the more dangerous. The pain, if it last for weeks, forces recourse to the doctor before the habit has become incurable. Sleeplessness is a more persistent, and to most people much less alarming thing; and it is, moreover, one with which the doctors can seldom deal save through the very agents of mischief. Neuralgia, relieved for a time by chloroform or morphia, may be cured by quinine; sleeplessness admits of hardly any cure but such complete change of life as is rarely possible, at least to its

And the narcotist habit once formed. neither pain nor sleeplessness is all that its renunciation would involve. The drunkard, it must be remembered, gets drunk, as a rule, but occasionally. Save in the last stages of dipsomania, he can do, if not without drink, yet without intoxicating quantities of drink, for days together. The narcotist who attempts to go for a whole day without his accustomed dose suffers in twenty-four hours far more cruelly than the drunkard deprived of alcohol in as many days. The effect upon the stomach and other organs, upon the nerves as well as the brain, is one of indescribable, unspeakable discomfort amounting to torture; a disorder of the digestive system more trying than sea sickness, a disorganization of the nerves which after some hours of unspeakable misery culmin-ates in convulsive twitchings, a mental and physical distress, simply indescribable to those who have not felt it. Where attempts have been made forcibly and suddenly to withhold the

accustomed sedative they have not infrequently ended in a few days in madness or death. In other cases the victim has sought and obtained relief by efforts or through hardships which, in his or her best days, would have seemed impossible or unendurable. One woman thus restrained escaped in deshabille from her bed-room on a winter night of arctic severity; ran for miles through the snow, and was fortunate enough to find a chemist who knew something of the fearful effect of such privation and had the good sense and courage to give in adequate quantity the poison that had now become the first necessary of

In a word, narcotics, one and all, are to those who have once fallen under their power, tyrants whose hold can hardly ever be shaken off, which punish rebellion with the rack, and with all those devices of torture which mediæval and ecclesiastical cruelty found even more terrible than the rack itself: while the most absolute submission is rewarded with sufferings only less endurable than the punishment of revolt. De Quincey's dreams under the influence of onium were to the tortures of resistance what the highest circle of purgatory may be to the lowest pit of the in-

# Webster's Eyes.

[Cor. Boston Advertiser.] Mr. Allen, in his article on Daniel Webster, in The Century, mentions his "great, soft eyes," as being peculiarly attractive to children. This reminds me of an incident which may perhaps show that those eyes had sometimes a different effect. Mr. Webster was once spending the summer in a town near Boston, and, as was his custom, attended urch regularly, both morn afternoon. On one occasion it fell to the lot of an unfledged youth to try his wings in that pulpit. He rose, as was natural, with some trepidation, to begin the service. This trepidation gradually increased, till toward the close of the hymn he faltered perceptibly, and as he sat down by the minister of the parish, he whispered; "Doctor, I don't know to whom those eyes belong which are directly facing me, but they are quite too much for me and I can

faster than ever. It was like "speaking by machinery;" the whirr and buzz were terrific.

We learned next morning that our host belonged to a sect which obliged him to repeat his prayers aloud, and which also enjoined, as one of its most stringent rules, that the voice of either a woman, a donkey, or a dog, if heard at any time during the service, made it necessary that the whole of the prayers

should be repeated." When a Whale Is Struck. [Detroit Free Press.]

Immediately upon a whale being har-pooned, he sounds, that is, goes under water at lightning speed, as does also the line to which he is attached, making it necessary to throw water upon it to prevent it from taking fire from the friction. It has been claimed that whales can run at a speed of a mile a minute. They cannot remain long be-

low, but must come up to breathe. When a whale is struck, the boatsteerer is relieved by the header, and he mans the steering until the whale turns up; when a whale dies his belly turns uppermost. Then the boats are all fastened together, the sails hoisted and then commences a long, tedious pull. You might think they would lay to and let the ship come up. The ship does come up as fast as it can, but it has to beat up, for whales invariably run to windward and oftentimes a boat is miles away from the ship when a prize is captured. Not frequently darkness over-takes them a long way from their berths.

Hard Times in Japan. Times-Democrat.

The present hard times and industrial depression prevailing throughout Europe also affect Japan, where some of the thrifty inhabitants have taken economical domestic measures. Round Osaka and in some parts of southern Japan the people have subscribed to a strict code of regulations, entailing fines in case of breaking the rules. They agree that no three persons shall drink together, that tea shall replace all expensive beverages at wedding ceremonies, that at funerals only the relatives of the deceased shall take refreshments, and that all shall make their own sandals. All other rites and cere-

monies involving expense are tem-porarily suspended.

Stability of Washington Monument.

Col. Casey, the engineer, says: "Ido not suppose it is possibile for man to make anything that will endure forever. There is no substance in nature that will withstand the ravages of time, and the marble and granite of which that shaft is composed are no exception to the rule, I believe it will stand as long as there is anything left of it. How many hundreds of thousands of years it will take the frost and storm and sun to wear away, particle by particle, that great mass of stone, it would be idle even to conjecture. It will be so far in the future that I do not think there is any occasion for us to feel distressing

> Healthfulness of Hammocks. [Detroit Free Press.]

apprehensions."

Eeds are occupied night after night, year after year, by divers persons in sickness and in health, in summer's heat and winter's cold, and as to when bedding is remade and purified each one can judge by his own experience. Com pare this with the use of the South American hammock, which only requires a stout blanket inside, and in winter a woolen sleeping dress as well of suitable make periodically washable. The sanitary difference becomes at once startling to those who have never considered the subject before.

### Great Men of Small States.

[New Orleans Times-Democrat. [ Rhode Island has been represented in congress by three Nathan Fellows Dixons -grandfather, father and son-the last of that name now filling the unexpired term of Congressman Chace. Similarly, in the senate, Thomas F. Bayard, of Delaware, succeeds his great-grandfather, grandfather, father and uncle. Great men are scarce in these small states. To Avoid Infection. To avoid as far as possible risk of infection in surgical procedures, Profes-sor Esmarch is said to have discarded wooden operating tables and to employ only those made of metal. All the instruments used are nickel-plated and metal-handled.



E. ST. JOHN.



#### "Stick, Brother, Stick." [Journal of Education.]

Years ago, when a young minister in a trying position out west, we fell into a deep rut of discouragement and poured out our sorrows in a letter to an eminent doctor of divinity, who had grown up with a new city and had te ome one of the foremost divines and educators of the state, his reply was characteristic of the man: "My dear brother, stick. All that I have ever accomplished in this new country has been by sticking power. I have seen two generations of driftwood swept past my door, but I am here yet. Stick, brother, stick."

### Sport for the Eyes.

[Scientific Exchange.] It would be well if we had some form of sport which would encourage the improvement of eyesight. We might have eye matches, for example, with prizes for those who could see furthest and clearest. There could be winking matches, open to persons of both sexes for the purpose of strengthening the muscles of the eyelid, and government might offer premiums to blue-eyed babies, and thus encourage the style of the eye which, according to oculists, is best adapted for ordinary wear and tear.

#### Keep Sacred the "Ego." [The Argonaut]

"The wisest of all sayings," said a philosopher at the Fielding club, the old Greek maxim, 'know thyself.'' "Yes," said Charles Kenney, "there's a deal of wisdom in it. Know thyself; but," he added, "never introduce a friend."

Money is the motive power of the world, but it takes square dealing to corner patronage. Paste that where the rain can't get at it, young man.

The siege of Khartoum lasted 322 days.

KEEPING OLD BILLS.

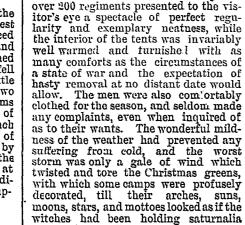
#### Catacombs of the National Capitol Where Records are Filed.

[Washington Critic.] It is not generally known that every bill, every report, every executive communication-in short, everything that comes before congress—is preserved in the original. But this is the fact. There is a place devoted to the preser-

vation of these relics, and a man specially charged with preserving them. The room is a succession of iron corridors, one above the other, lined with receptacles for holding large volumes.

Commencing on the roof of the house, the records run downwards in chronological order. The books are of all sizes down to about forty years ago, when they assume uniformity. They are all leather-covered, and are strongly bound. Inside of them are thick leaves upon which bills, reports and other congressional documents are pasted in the original. Every kind of paper is there. The history of the improvement in paper manufacture can be traced in these volumes from the first session of the Continental congress down to the

present day. It is noted, too, in delving among these old tomes that the later ones are better prepared than those preceding them. For instance, there is evident slovenliness in the volumes of the first congress. Improvement goes o as the dates become more recent. But very



among them. The ground was dry and white as an Italian highway, yielding a cloud of dust to every passing flurry of wind. Each cooking place was fenced in by a wall of loose stones, within which stood the cook and his assistants, gravely presiding over rows of seething caldrons, which emitted teeming odors not wholly ungrateful to nostrils that had been snuffing the keen wind over the hills for a few hours.

### Jet-Black Snowflakes

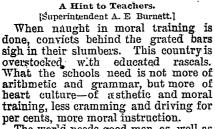
["J. J. P." in The Current.] As I was riding through Pittsburg one

day my attention was arrested by a remarkable meteorological phenomenon. Great flakes of jet-black snow were falling so thickly as almost to obscure the vision, and the storm had evidently raged several hours, as footprints on the sidewalks indicated a depth of about four inches. Every object on which my wondering eye rested was covered by the sable mantle, and the effect upon my mind was extremely depressing. Strange to relate, the storm seemed to be confined wholly to the city, all traces of it vanishing as the train entered the suburbs, where the sun again became visible.

So deeply was I impressed with the phenomenon and the sudden transition that, to make sure I had not been dreaming, I questioned several fellow-passengers, and learned that they also had witnessed the singular spectacle, though none of them offered an explanation." The same showers are fre quently noticed in Chicago. There is an impression among scientists that very tall chimneys attract these curious storms.

### Baltimore's Baby Camel.

[Baltimore Sun.] Druid Hill park now rejoices in a baby camel. The new arrival is a female. The youngster, when standing, is about four feet high, and is thickly covered with wooley hair of very dark color, the hair on the head, legs and hump being black. The large, black eyes and long, goose-shaped head give the animal a very comical appearance. The legs are almost as long now as they ever will be, and the hump is a jolly little mass of fat that rolls about under one's hand and trembles like a bowl of jelly. Its mouth is as tender as that of a new-born babe, and the gums are soft pink. It spends most of its time lying down, and when roused up and kept on its feet it shuts its eyes and persists in dosing off again. It cries when hungry or lonesome not unlike a human baby.



The world needs good men, as well as good accountants and grammarians, and there is to day less lack of intelligence than of public virtue and private fair-dealing, less lack of knowledge than of an inclination toward a noble life-a life of justice, kindness and mercy.

### Paper-Making in Florida. [Troy Times.]

It is claimed that England and France can make a better grade of fine papers than this country on account of the quality of the water, which is here in jured for paper making by frequent changes in temperature. Acting upon the idea, experiments are about to be made in Florida, where

the temperature is more equal. If suc-cessful, it is said a large mill, especially for the manufacture of finer grades of stock, will be built there by Massachu setts capitalists.

# Siberia's University

[Fore gn Letter.] The university which has been building for some years at Tomsk, Siberia, is approaching completion. Its total cost has been \$550,000, borne in about equal parts by the government and private individuals. It is intended that the university shall have a full corps of professors. Tomsk, on the river Tom, is an old and thriving town on the great trading highway of Siberia, and the capitel of the government of the same name. The town does a large trade in furs. The population is about 24,000.

### Remarkable Statement.

[Exchange.] The very remarkable statement is made in The Medical Times that Dr. Fleishl, of Vienna, has discovered that the hydrochlorate of cocaine administered hypodermically in doses of from one-twelfth to one-fourth of a grain will cure morphinism, alcoholism, and similar habits within ten days.

### Paint on the White House. The White House has been painted so often that the white lead upon it is said to be, by actual measurement,

nearly a quarter of an inch thick. Uncle Esek: Fopular opinious have their day, just like fashions. Every

generation has a new set. A Boston Woman's Business Philanthropy

[Boston Letter.] Mrs. Alice N. Lincoln is one of the most energetic, practical and businesslike women in Boston. She is also one of the wealthiest. She has a magnificent home on Commonwealth avenue, and possesses an income of about \$12,000 a year. She has always taken a great interest in sanitary matters, and since the newspapers began their cru-sade against filthy tenements she has been running tenement houses in the worst parts of the city. The places were about to be vacated by the board of health on account of their unhealthy condition, when Mrs. Lincoln rented them, made needed repairs and improvements, and let the apartments to re-

spectable poor people. While in one sense the work is a benevolence, she conducts her houses on strict business principles, visiting them frequently and making all the rent collections herself. Thus far she has come out with a fair profit. The scheme is now a hobby with her, and she is bargaining for the notorious "Crystal Palace," a very ancient and filthy bar-racks in the South Cove, where thieves, hoodlums and debauches make their headquarters.

## Interrupting a Mohammedan's Praver.

Jud Lafagan: He who fears a second failure is a weak man.

Valuable Woods from Índia. [Foreign Letter.]

Immense quantities of woods are an nually sent from India to England, to be manufactured into furniture. One of the most highly valued of . these, and which is light, soft and red, having no heartwood; is not eaten by ants, and is adapted not only for furniture, but for door panels and carving. Chickerasi or chickrassi wood is another sort of great industrial value. It is a large tree, with bark of reddish brown and deeply cracked, the heartwood hard, varying from yellowish to reddish brown, with a beautiful satin luster, seasons and works well, and is employed for furniture and carving. Nagasar wool has dark-red heartwood, extremely hard; it is used for building, for bridges, gun stocks, and tool handles, but its more general use is prevented by its great hardness, weight, and the consequent difficulty of working it. Kandebwood is light-red, shining, cross-grained and moderately hard.

Physiology of Fainting.

[Harper's Magazine.]

A timid person sees, perchance, some accident in which human life is possibly sacrificed, or the sensibilities are otherwise shocked. His feelings overcome him, and he faints. How are we to explain it? Let us see what takes place.

The impression upon the brain made by the organ of sight creates (through the agency of special centers in the or-gan of the mind) an influence upon the heart and the blood-vessels of the brain. This results in a decrease in the amount of blood sent to the brain, and causes a loss of consciousness.

In the same way persons become dizzy when looking at a water-fall, or from a height, through the effects of the organs of sight upon the brain.

Soap Trees in Florida. [Chicago Times.]

There are a number of soap trees growing in Tallahassee. They are prolific fruiters, the berries being about the size of an ordinary marble, having a yellowish, soapy appearance, with a hard black seed, from which the trees are propagated. People in Tallahassee boil the fruit to make soap, but in China, Japan and other tropical countries the berries are used as a substitute for soap just as they are taken from the trees.

Patent medicines are estimated by a leading English medical journal to cause the death of 150,000 persons per year.

The thousands of finger rings worn in this country are estimated to be worth \$58,000,000

Choctaw Criminals' Honor.

[Washington Cor. Augusta Chronicle,] A gentleman here conversant with the Indian character says there is a point of honor among even the worst of the Choctaws hard to find among white criminals. When a Choctaw has been tried for a capital offense and condemned to execution, he is allowed to choose between hanging and shooting. He is then paroled and allowed perfect freedom until the day of doom. Every one of these criminals elected to be shot, and every one kept his pledge and came

[Exchange.] Mrs. Speedy, in her "Wanderings in the Soudan," relates the following curiback to die. ous episode: After a long day's march she was just settling herself down to sleep when her host, an Arab telegraph

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