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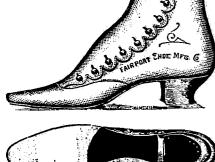
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TRAINS WEST. LEAVE BUCHANAN. Kalamazoc Accommodation, No. 13... 7:52 A. M. Mail, No. 11... 4:22 P. M. Evening Express, No. 7... 3:23 A. M. Pacific Express, No. 9... 4:30 A. M. A. F. PEACOCK, Local Agent. O. W. RUGGLES G. P. & T. A.

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MORTGAGE SALE

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WHEREAS, default has been made in the paywent of the money secured by a mortgage dated the 26th day of February, 1870, executed by Bryon IMcGuim, of the county of Berrien, and State of Michigan, to David Rough of the same place, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Berrien, in Liber Z of mortgages, on page 320, on the 2d day of March, 1870, at 12 o'clock M. And whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of thirty-six dollars and ninety-four cents of principal and interest, and the further sum of twenty-five dollars as an attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage, and which is the whole amount due and unpaid on said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding have been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said power of sale, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and previded, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction, to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court Honse, in Berrien Springs, in said county of Berrien, on the 10th day of July, 1891, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows, to-wit: All that certain piece or parcel of bund lying and being in the County of Berrien and State of Michigan, known and described as the west half of the southwest quarter of section thirty (30), in township seven(7) south, of range eighteen (18) west, containing 50 acres more or less.

SOLOMON ROUGH,
Administrator de bonts non of the estate of David Rough.

A. A. WORTHINGTON, Atturney.

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MORTGAGE SALE.

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WHEREAS, default has been made in the paydeted the 13th day of June, 1876, executed by Matchins Iluss and Frederika Huss, his wife, of Berrien County, in the State of Michigan, to David Rough, of the same place, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the County of Berrien, in Liber 17 of Mortgages, on page 410, on the 28th day of December, 1876, at 3 o clock P. M. And whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of one thousand one hundred and forty-two dollars and twenty-two cents of principal and interest, and the further sum of twenty-five dollars as an attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage, and which is the whole amount due and unpaid on said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding have been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has hecome operative. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said power of sale, and in pursuance of the statate in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction, to the highest hidder, at the front door of the Court House, in Berrien Springs, in said county of Berrien, on the 10th day of July, 1891, at 11 o'clock in the forencom, which-said premises are described in said mortgage as follows, to-wit: All of the following described property situated in the County of Berrien and state of Michigan, described as the north fifty acres of the west half of the southwest quarter of section thirty. Also the southwest quarter of section thirty. Also the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of the same section, in township seven (7) south, of range eighteen west.

SOLOMON ROUGH,
Administrator de bonis non of the estate of David Rough.

A. A WORTHINGTON, Attorney.

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WHEREAS, default has been made in the paywhere of the money secured by a mortrage dated the 4th day of June, 1872, executed by Matthias Huss and Frederika Huss, his wife, of Berrien County, in the State of Michigan, to David Rough, of the same place, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of the county of Berrien, in Liber 6 of mortgages, on page 456, on the 18th day of June, 1872, at 8:20 o'clock A.M. And whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of one thousand one hundred and seven dollars and twenty-seven cents of principal and interest, and the further sum of twenty-five dollars as an attorney fee stipulated for in said seven dollars and twenty-seven cents of principal and interest, and the further sum of twenty-five dollars as an attorney fee stipulated for in said mortgage, and which is the whole amount due and unpaid on said mortgage, and no said nor proceedings have been instituted at law or in equity to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the said power of sale, and in pursuance of the statute is such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction, to the highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House, in Berrien Springs, in said County of Berrien, on the 10th day of July, 1891, at two o'clock in the afternoon, which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows, towit: All the following described land situated in the County of Berrien and State of Michigan: The southwest quarter of the north east quarter of section number twenty-four (21) to town seven (7) south, range number nineteen (19) west. Also the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section number thirty (30) in township number seven (7) south, range number eighteen (18) west.

Also the southwest of the southwest quarter of section number thirty (30) in township number seven (7) south, range number eighteen (18) west.

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A. A. WORTHINGTON, Attorney.

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Notice of Sale of Real Estate. First publication May 7, 1891.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien—88.

In the matter of the estate of Frank G. Gallinger, Edilinger, Elizabeth Gallinger and Charles B. Gallinger, minors and children of Benjomin Gallinger, decased.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of an order granted to the undersigned, Guardian of the estate of said minors, by the Hon. Judge of Probate, for the county of Berrien, on the affliday of May, A. D. 1891, there will be sold at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the premises, in the county of Retrien, in said State, on Friday, the 19th day of June, A. D. 1891, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of that day, (subject to all encumbrances by mortgage or otherwise existing at the time of the death of said deceased, or at the time of said sale, and also subject to the right of dower and the homestend rights of the widow of said deceased therein; the following described real estate to-wit: The undivided fourning and real county, included fourning section ten (10), town seven (7) south, range nineteen (9) west, in Berrien County, Michigan.

Each one of said minors above named being the owners of one undivided one-ninth part thereof, WILLIAM J. HANOVER, Guardian.

Last publication, June 18, 1891. First publication May 7, 1891.

Last publication, June 18, 1891. Estate of Jennio Gano and Hattie Gano, Minors. First publication April 30, 1891.

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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 Springs, on Saturday, the 23th day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.
Present, David'E. Hundan, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Jennie Gano and Hattie Gano, Minors. Francis W. Gano, Guardian of said estate, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such Guardian up to date.
Thereupon it is ordered, that Thursday, the 21st day of May next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon be assigned for the examining and allowing such account, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the Village of Berrien Springs, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed.
And it is further ordered, that said Guardian 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.

(A true copy.)

DAVID E. HINMAN,

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Lust Publication, May 21, 1891.

Last Publication, May 21, 1891. Estate of Newton E, Smith. Wirst unblication, May 14, 1891. GTATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Bernen.—ss
NAta session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate Office, in the village of Berrien
Springs, on the 3th day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.
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In the matter of the estate of Newton E. Smith, deceased.

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On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Sarah E. Smith, widow of said deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to the petitioner, or to some other shitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered that Monday, the Sthere day of June next, at 10 o'clock in the forence, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden in the Probate Office, in the village of Berrier Springs, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, there are printed and circulated in said county. newspaper printed and circulated in said county three successive weeks previous to said day o

> DAVID.E. HINMAN, Judge of Probate Last publication, June 4, 1891.

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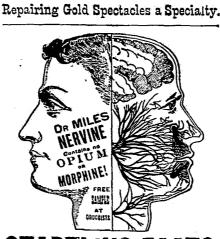
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A REVISED FABLE.

You may say: "The grapes are sour," Smiling add; "They're hanging high," And it is not in my power Those assertions to deny.

But I'd like to turn the tables, And display the other side; For I sometimes think old fables Show extremely narrow pride.

And the fox-poor, ancient creature! Has been most misunderstood, For he surely had one feature Which we all consider good.

When we lose a hope, most cherished,

Who of us does not feel sad? But the fox, when his had perished, Made the most of what he had. -- Caroline Evans, in Century.

THE DOLLAR LEFT OVER Speech of Congressman Dolliver at the American Tariff League Banquet.

At the banquet of the American Tariff League in New York City the Hon, J. P. Dolliver, of Iowa, responded to the toast "Abundance Versus Cheap-Speaking to the sentiment of President Harrison's remark: "I am one of those, political economists that have an impression that some things may be too cheap." Mr. Dolliver said: It is a great pleasure to sit at this table, rich with the display of luxuries distinctly American. I regret that after saving myself up for twelve hours I have missed the substantial features of the repast. I have heard good speeches, but it is hard to satisfy the demands of an educated appetite on the corn country, in the center of the agricultural empire of the Northwest; on the alluvial prairie between your great rivers, where men in fifty years, by the miracle of homestead settlement, have done the work of five generations. [Cheers | It is a land of plenty, which has welcomed with open hospitality every race and tongue and never yet refused to an industrious man the reasonable rewards of life. [Applause] It is true, as Senator Hiscock has just said, that we have furnished to the people of New York some mortgages. Most of our peopl crossed the Mississippi river with little beside strong hearts and willing hands, and in thirty years have achieved an extraordinary materiai progress. Our debts stand for our investments and not for our losses. They represent our enterprise and not our misfortunes, our property and not our poverty. [Applause.] They will be paid to the last penny in the legal currency of the country, not a coin clipped nor a dollar depreciated. [Applause.] No community in the United States has a more perfect understanding of the relation of the farm to the factory than the people of

They believe in buying what they need as far as they can at home, and in s-lling what they produce as far as they can in the market places of their own country. [Applause.] Being largely engaged in raising live stock for sale, they see the advantage of having customers who have both money to buy meat and a well-established habit of eating it. [Laughter and applause.] Our people are for reciprocity. not with our competitors in the fields of productive industry, but with every country whose incoming cargoes neither displace nor degrade the occupations of our countrymen. [Applause.] The man who can not see the difference between a limited reciprocity with Brazil and free trade with Europe ought to connect himself with a night school. [Laughter.] The one secures a new market without damage to the old. Applause] The other would either drive out our industries or requiré us at once to cut in two the bread-buying ability of our own workingmen. [Applause.] We find, for example, nearly a million people living yonder in Connecticut—a State that was evidently not intended for farming, having been cast up by a volcano and left with a surface that requires fertil zers in the graveyard in order to insure the resurrection of the dead. [Great laughter.] If Brother Porter is correct, and I never knew him to be wrong, though I saw in the papers that he did not send blanks enough over here to take down the names of all the Tammany folks [laughter], but if he is correct the eight hundred thousand people of Connecticut do not raise enough to feed them-selves n nety days in the year. Iowa has a substantial interest in the pros-

perity of that Sta e. We can use her prosperity in our business. We will sell them all they need at living rates. [Applause.] And we are ready to accord them living rates for all they offer for sale. [Applause.] We are always on the lookout for a good trade, but we are not hunting for bankrupt sales. We seek no bargains that bring to our firesides the pathetic history of want. [Applause.] We seek no bargains that recite in our ears the old world's tragedy of children without books, or women without homes, of men without hope. [Applause.] We seek no bargains that are found floating upon the stagnant waters of which a submerged tenth of the industrial population has gone down. Tremendous cheering.] And if the mporters of this town wait for their victory till the farmers of the west vote the manhood out of American life or set up a boycott against the United States of America, they will crowd Methuselah for first place. [Great laughter and applause.] Already the smoke of the furnace and the skill of men's hands have begun to move to-ward the West. Whatever the tariff may be, we see that the absence of the factory is a veritable tax on our resources. [Applause] We are going to get rid of that tax. In the chief city of Iowa the people gave \$50,000 to hire a man to build a cotton mill. [Cheers.] In an enterprising town in my own district the people, in spile of their politics and regardless of the fact that the kingdom of Saxony is the cheapest place on earth for knit goods, raised \$10,000 to put in a knitting factory. [Applause.] At Forest City, Iowa, in my district, every year the harvest is celebrated in a splendid palace of flax which displays at once the taste of the community and their anxiety to welcome the linen industry to the West. [Applause.] There is not a village in the State without its board of trade, with its brass band [laughter], a carriage and a cush donation for any welldressed man who will undertake to locate any kind of an industrial enter-prise. [Applause.] My friends, you could more easily convert such a people to Mohammedanism than to free trade. [Loud cheers.] You may stam- the commonwealth. [Applause.] The pede us for a few weeks by a concerted alarm about advancing prices. But if we may believe Cardinal Manning, only once, for the awkward liar has a has produced a "world of wealth and a hard road to travel in American politics. [Great laughter.] There is some-

thing about a smooth and polished pre-

varication that saves it from the fate

of the ordinary lie of commerce. [Con-

tinued laughter.] But when the importing merchants based their cam-

system of water works instead of a with a heart full of love to mankind. boat he would have exercised a larger knowledge of the drainage question than the enemies of protection have of the tariff question. [Great laughter.] They have offered a bribe to ignorance and put a reward in the hands of credulity. [Applause.] The good people of the West have built a school house on nearly every square mile of their territory for the express purpose of discouraging that sort of politics. In the long run, with the issue squarely

made, they will give the preachers of the English gospel in American prosperity a permanent vacation. [Laughter and applause.] They are not ready to rescind the Declaration of Independence. [Applause] They have not yet forgotten the exhortation of Jefferson to prefer nothing foreign when an equivalent American fabric can be obained, regardless of the price. [Ap-They know that there is at

least one thing as important to a community as cheap goods, and that is interested in prices. [Continued laughter.] Take the daily question of clothes. There are evidences that this is the best dressed country in the world. [Applause.] Nor are we without evidence that the average grades, such as people generally wear, cost little if anything more than the same grades would cost abroad. Be that as it may, our folks are contented on the question of clothes by their personal knowledge that thousands now prosperous citizens came among them in rags out of the countries where clothes are the cheapest. [Laughter and continued applause. It may suit this neighborhood to sprinkle English salt tariff speeches. [Laughter.] I live in on Irish potatoes and thank God for the privilege [great laughter], but the great West prefers the Michigan article and thanks the protective tariff that it has been made nearly as cheap as sand in the streets of our cities. [Great applause.] With us it is a back number to parade the household necessities of the West in the cheerful masquerade of sympathy for the tax-burdened farmer. We suspect people who exhibit too much sympathy. [Laughter.] We investigate persons, especially if they claim to be better than other people, who put their sympathy into Croton reservoirs, with delivery pipes in the direction of every human misery. [Laughter.] To tell you the truth, we are not candidates for sympathy. We have seen the whole list of household goods go down in price through the gradual development of our National resources, the foreign product yielding to the American, often not very grace fully, until to-day the comforts of life are within reach of a larger number of people than ever enjoyed them before in the history of the United States. [Loud applause.] You can not excite ing to a carpet making country.

a man about a tax on carpet: who has seen his country change under a great animals about the house, a boy may be-National policy from a carpet import-The free trade argument, whatever its merits in the abstract, fails among a people who remember that the markets of the world gave us carpets so costly that we could only afford one in the house, and always kept the parlor door locked for fear somebody would go in and step on that carpet. [Laughter.] You can not excite a man about the tax on earthen ware whose wife can recall the days of English ascendency in our markets—days when dishes were so costly that if a hired girl broke tea cup it was capital punishment. [Great laughter.] One of the horrors of my boyhood was the day of wrath when I upset the table. There was lamentation in the family, like Rachel weeping for her children and refusing to be comforted because they were not. [Continued laughter.] To day a man can take an

elaborate dinner set and fire it through the motto, "God Bless Our Home," without rousing any comment in the family. [Laughter long continued.] My father was a preacher. [Laughter. If you require it I will produce affidavits for that [continued laughter] and one of the cheerful recollections of my youth is the picture of my venerable ancestor with his eyes turned toward heaven, invoking the divine blessing on our humble fare, while the rest of us turned our eyes away from heaven and heavenly things to watch the progress of a fight between a lion and a unicorn that appeared to be in progress on the bottom of the breakfast plates. [Great laughter.] I never knew how that fight came out, but as I passed through the city of Trenton an hour ago I could not help thanking God that a man can eat his breakfast in the United States to-day without having the exercises interrupted by that kind of a chromo. [Great and continued laughter.] Wendell Phillips used to say that the main factor in civilization is the dollar left over, out of the weeks wages, after the expenses | terest, leaned over and placed her muff of the family had been paid. [Ap- under the little fellow's dirty cheek. plause.] Thrt dollar means music and pictures. It means the church and the school. It means the savings bank and the insurance policy. It may not be very large, but it is big enough to wrap up in it the safety of nations and the welfare of centuries. Great applause.] It is that dollar which lifts the industrial level of America above the level of the world. It is that dollar that has attracted the industrious millions out of all lands, persuaded them to lay down the differences of race and creed and language, take upon honest consciences the oath of our citizenship, and receive in exchange a hope and a prospect that-are denied to the children of the people in the older countries of the world. [Loud applause.] For myself I am constrained to say that they are welcome. Without their help the West would be today a half settled wilderness. I am not yet ready to shut the door of the great Republic in the face of mankind. Applause.] The only favor I have ever asked of a man born in a foreign country is to stand with us while we labor along the lines laid down by our fathers, to keep the firesides of America out of a beggar's competition with the hard conditions of life in the industrial capitals of Europe. [Great applause] It makes little difference what comes to the palaces, if only

peace and prosperity abide with the cottages. [Applause.] I am glad to hear a new gospel of wealth declared in these times; but after all it is a very old gospel, and came to us. I think, out of the mountains of Judea — that property is more than a mere possession. It is a moral trust. So that every man who has it, whether it lies in a railroad or a coal bank or a blast furnace, is in a high sense the trustee of the community and under a high law to use his estate without prejudice to world of want," already threatens our country with similar perils. The statesmen who have secured the American markets for the use of the American people have not finished their work until every conspiracy in restraint of trade, every organized syndicate of expaign last year on a system of bogus trade, every organized syndicate of the pieces to the curs. They paign last year on a system of bogus tortion, every system of fraudulent and fictitious dealing, is scourged from the temples of legitimate business. [Apreaction that has set in in favor of the plause.] I am a believer in wealth they form a conglomeration of grape by and wisely used for

s God's best gift to modern society. Applause. I would have every man. and especially every young man, devote the strength of his years to the accumulation of money. And if he gets it, let him bless the world with his

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prosperity. The homestead is the fixed cornerstone of American life. It signifies much in a government like this that men should have a house to call their own [applause]—a prace to go when they are tired, and find in the sweet faces of wife and children the wages of all their labor. [Applause.] I may be an enthusiast, but I am living in hope of the day when the spirit of the Workman of Nazareth shall complete the world's emancipation, drying up the fountains of greed and usury, and bringing at last to the weary and heavyladen centuries the age of justice, [Great applause.] But I am not looking for that in the direction of the sand lots of San Francisco [laughter]; nor to money to buy goods with. [Applause | the haymarket in Chicago, where the and laughter.] The prodigal son is not | blood of brave men was poured out in the public streets by a gang of alien vagab inds; nor to Henry George publishing an idle philosophy of spoilation and plunder; nor to Edward Bellamy inviting nebulous dreams of incredible social conditions. [Applause.] In these days, if Joseph wishes to have his dreams respected, he must dream sensible dreams. [Great laughter.] I am a believer in the homestead; I am against the tenant system, whether in Ireland or America. [Applause.] think that fifty years of government landlordism or other form of government ownership general, instead of abolishing poyerty, would make a na-tion of tramps without interest enough in society to dig a well or plant a flower or put the hinges on the gate. [Laugh er and applause.] I am down on that.

But my heart is in willing sympathy with the organization of American labor on the farm and in the factory, and I welcome the good day coming when the rude weapons of industrial strife and ill-considered plans of industrial reform shall give place to the broadest, fairest, wisest devotion of the heart and brain of the age to every question that concerns the rights of man. [Long-continued applause.] And now, my friends, I thank you for the attention and the friendly good will with which you have listened to me. [Prolonged cheering.]

Kindness to Animals.

There is nothing more distressing to thoughtful person than to witness the indifference shown by many parents to the cruelty of their children to ward animals. There is something peculiarly demoralizing to a child in allowing it to inflict pain on a living creature. From teasing the helpless gin to inflict petty suffering on playl mates, and soon his nature becomes so hardened that he is likely to fall an easy victim to the allurements of a life of criminal adventure. In respect for dumb animals and for nature we are vastly inferior to many nations that have not enjoyed our blessings. It is not uncommon for mothers in the country to allow their children to visit the slaughter houses, where they are drawn by morbid curiosity. They do not reflect what a horrible thing it is to accustom the child, who has not arrived at mature years, to such sights. Nothing so debases an individual as cruelty. We find in the pages of history, that all truly great and good men had been very gentle toward animals. Abraham Lincoln was a conspicuous example of this. On the day of a great battle, while sitting in a small telegraph office awaiting news, he saw three little kitters running about the floor. "You poor miserable little creatures," said Lincoln, picking them up and placing them on the table, "what brought you into this camp of warriors? Where is your mother?" mother is dead," answered the colonel in charge. "Then she can't grieve for them," said the president, with a sigh, "as many a poor mother is grieving for the son who has fallen in battle. Ah, kitties, thank God you are cats, and can't understand this terrible strife. "There, now, go, my little friends," he continued, wiping the dirt from their eyes with his handkerchief; "that is all I can do for you. Colonel, get them some milk, and don't let them starve; there is too much starvation going on in this land, anyhow; mitigate it when we can."

A Pretty incident. A tired newsboy had fallen asleep in the street car. His feet were bare and his hat had fallen off. Presently the younger of the two young ladies who had been watching him with kind in-An old gentleman in the next seat who had seen the kind act smiled, and without saying anything, held out a quarter, with a nod toward the boy. The girl understood what be meant, hesitated a moment, blushed a little, and then reached for it. The next man, who had seen the act and enjoyed it, just as silent offered the girl a dime, to be used for the same purpose. A moment later a womon across the aisle held out some pennies, and before she knew it, the girl, with flaming cheeks, was offered money from every passenger in that end of the car, each smiling and enjoying the little episode. The young girl quietly slid the amount into the sleeping boy's pocket, removed her must from under his head without arousing him, and soon after rose to leave the car. As she did this, she in-cluded all the passen ers in a pretty little inclination of the head, that seemed full of thanks, and the possession of a common secret. It was a very pretty little incident, and will not soon be forgotten by those who saw it.

A False Alarm.

A telegraph boy with a message in his hand entered a Grand River avenue car the other day for a half-mile ride, and after closely regarding him for a moment an old lady leaned forward and inquired: "Be you a telegraph boy?"

"Yes'm." "Is it for me?"

"No'm." "Thank heaven!" she said as she eaned back. "That proves my daughter's house, out in Ohio, has not burned up, but I was awfully skeered for a minute."—D. F. Press.

Potatoes On a Grape Vine. The owner of a garden in Greenman-

grape vine. In his ignorance he failed to consult "Daball's yearly clam tide regulator," and mutulated the vine in the wrong season, with the result that the fluid extract of grape began to run and there was danger of the vine bleeding to death. Securing some large seed potatoes he desected them and applied the pieces to the cuts. They

At noon on Monday, March 30, in Detroit, Mich., six men entered into a competition to test their ability to do without sleep for a period of 168 hours, or a full week. Four of the contestants had dropped out before Thursday, the two remaining being Townsend, a six day walker, and Cunningham a ship carpenter. Townsand succumbed on Sunday evening, and the manner of his failure, and the great difficulty experienced by Cunningham keeping up his vigil for the full period, afford a vivid illustration of the expusite torture which can be inflicted. quisite torture which can be inflicted by forcibly depriving one of sleep. At about 10 o'clock Townsend began to weaken; he walked like a man asleep and reeled about the floor. An bour later he complained that the floor had all at once grown very steep and he could not keep on climbing. He stuck to his task, however, until midnight, when he leased against the wall for a moment's reset. He was so tired for a moment's rest. He was so tired that he fell to the floor. The shock roused him, and he begged the watchman to keep him awake, but it could not be done. Again he reeled about the floor for a few minutes and then with tears in his eyes he said it was all up with him. He could not stand it any longer-he must lie down a minute. Down on the floor he threw himself, and before the watchman could

A Week Without Sleep for a Wager.

get to him, a full-fledged snore was heard, and he was out of the race. Cunningham was left alone with a 12 hours' virgil before him. He walked, he sang, he danced and shouted and tried every means he could devise to ward off sleep. Hundreds of people clustered about him to see the last hour pass. "Why did you stop the clock," he almost screamed as the minutes dragged by. At length it was over and he was conducted to the theatre stage and introduced, but before the introduction was over, he was asleep. Cunningham lost eight pounds and Townsend six in the match. The men were allowed to sleep in 15 minute naps at the conclusion of their several vigils, and were said to have suffered no permanent ill from their novel con-

How Thread is Numbered.

The seamstress, whether she wants number thirty, forty, or one hundred and twenty thread, knows from the number just what kind of sewing it can be used for. When eight hundred and forty yards of varn weigh seven hundred grains, a pound of cotton, the threadmakers make it number one. If sixteen hundred and eighty yards weigh a pound; it is marked number two. For number fifty yarn it would take fifty multiplied by four hundred and eighty-nine to weigh a pound. This is the whole explanation of the yarn measurement as used by the spool-cotton manufacturer. The early manufactured thread was

of three-cord, the number being derived from the number of yards to the pound, just as it is today. Number sixty yarn make number sixty thread, though in point of fact the actual calibre of number sixty thread would equal number twenty yarn, being made of three number twenty strands twisted together. When the sewing machine came into market as a great thread consumer, un-reasoning in its work and inexorable

in its demands for mechanical accuracy, six cord cotton had to be made in place of the old and rougher threecord, it being much smoother. As thread numbers were already established, they were not altered for the cord were left identical in both the size and number. To effect this the six-cord had to be made of yarn twice as fine as that demanded in making the the three-cord variety. The number sixty cord is

hundred and twenty yarn. The three cord spool cotton is of the same number as the yarn is made of. Six cord spool cotton is always made from double its number. Thread is a simple thing, but simple as it is, there are two thousand kinds of it, and each kind goes through hundreds of differ-

made of six strands of number one

What Religion Isn't. It isn't going to church to see what the people wear, or to find fault with

the preacher.

It isn't running in debt for things you don't need, and never paying for It isn't giving away a great deal of money publicly, simply that people may speak well of you.

It isn't staying away from church, then the staying away from church, then the staying away from church. when you know a special election is going to be taken.

It isn't leaving one church and joining another whenever you do not like the preacher. It isn't reading so many chapters a day, or saying one prayer over and It isn't sitting in the house and look

ing solemn, and refusing to eat any-thing cooked on Sunday. It isn't putting all the big sound apples on the top of the measure, and the little and rotton ones in the bottom. It isn't telling other people what to do in prayer meeting, and letting the devil tell you what to do in business matters.

It isn't whipping your boy for smoking while you have a cigar in your own mouth. It isn't telling the servant to say, "Not at home," when somebody rings that you don't want to see.
It isn't announcing the faults of others, and making no effort to over-

ing another. Baron Rothschild's Maxims. The older Baron Rothschild had the walls of his bank placarded with the

following curious maxims: Carefully examine every detail of

It isn't professing one thing and liv-

come your short comings.

your business. Be prompt with everything.

Take time to consider and then decide quickly. Dare to go forward. Bear troubled patiently.

Be brave in the struggle of life.

Maintain your integrity as a sacred Never tell business lies. Make no useless acquaintances. Never try to appear something more

than you are.
Pay your debts promptly.
Learn how to risk your money at the right moment. Shun strong liquor. Employ your time well. Do not reckon upon chance, Be polite to everybody. Never be discouraged.

Then work hard and you will be ertain to succeed!

In Its Concentrated Form. "Doctor," said the tired looking caller. "I believe a trial of Doctor Koch's lymph would do me good." "Your lungs, sir," replied the physician, "are perfectly sound. You need no consumption cure." "But I have a tired feeling all the

A kind of indisposition to take any active exercise?"
"Yes." "Or any other kind of exercise?"

"Or to do anything like work?" "Um—yes." "What you most need, sir, is the lymph of industry."
"I believe you are right, doctor," said the caller, rising languidly. "I'll

live on honey for the next thirty days

and see how it goes."

THURSDAY, MAY 21, 1891. The South Bend Daily Post has come

to grief. South Bend Y. M. C. A. will run an excursion to Chicago over the Lake Shore road, May 29. Fare, \$1.75 the

South Carolina has a law prohibiting cock-fighting within three miles of a church. A good law so far as the three mile limit gces, but on the whole does

The setting up of six large plants for making velvet is one of the results of the McKinley tariff law. This is
 literally "working on velvet."—N. Y.

not amount to much.

has just given the Italian consul at that place and his dago surroundings warning that he is going to have a stop to the murderous threats and actions of that tribe, if he has to clean the face of the earth of the dago crowd. That if they do not stop it they may expect another uprising, and he will not be responsible for the consequences. They may understand what that means.

The Democratic treasurer of the state of Missouri. Noland. took \$30.-000 of the state's money to gamble with, and lost it. He was arrested and tried for embezzlement, before the democratic judge, Burgess, who lets Noland go on the charge that if it is not proven that when he stole the money to gamble with, he did not intend to keep the money, he must not be found guilty. Following is the charge:

Before you can convict the defendant you must believe beyond a reasonable doubt from the evidence in the case, that he converted the public money to his own use, with the intent at the time of converting to retain said money and deprive the state of it.

If this is law it is useless to attempt to convict any embezzler, for they all intend to return it.

The supreme court has finally decided the Michigan soldiers' bounty matter. The case was that of A. J. Smith vs. the board of state auditors, where Smith claimed the \$100 bounty provided for by act No. 23 of the session laws of 1864, applied not only to all persons who enlisted under the so-called 200. 000 call of Feb. 1, 1864, but also to all who enlisted under any subsequent On the other hand the board of auditors held that only those persons enlisting under the 200,000 call were entitled to receive the \$100 bounty. The court ruled only the 7,313 who enlisted under the call of Feb. 1, 1864 were entitled to the bounty and most of these have been paid. Justice Grant wrote the opinion and all the other

justices concurred.—Detroit News.

The select committee named some ty of establishing a \$40,000 furniture plant at the Ionia reformatory, thereby employing some 150 convicts said to be in idleness. made a report to the Senate this evening. The report is practically a victory to Grand Rapids and her thousands of furniture workers who, it will be remembered, strongly opposed the passage of the bill. The committee recommend a substitute for the bill, allowing only \$19,980 for needed repairs, etc. Of this sum \$6,000 is for the establishment of a new industry other than at present in operation. The report says further that a new industry, if established, should be only such as would employ hand labor, and not enter into competition with outside similar industries. The contract of Chochrane & Miller can, it is said, be terminated at any time. The committee also say that they fail to realize the amount of profit in manufacturing furniture as set forth in a report made by ex-Warden Watkins.— Detroit Free Press Lansing Cor.

Tariff Pictures.

Great Britian is not selling so much worsted goods to us this year as last During the first quarter of 1800 she exported to the United States, \$16,954, 300, and during the first quarter of of 1991 only \$7,230,000 Charge it to the McKinley bill.-N.

ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

ONE good thing was accomplished by the visit of the Superintendents of the Michigan Central to this place, Tuesday, which will make the visit worth while, whether the projected spur be built or not. Councilmen Dodd and Reynolds accompanied the gentlemen to the depot upon their departure and laid before them the situation of affairs regarding the opening into town from the south, and the immediate result was an order from both Mr. Miller and Mr. L'Homadeau to Mr. Peacock to keep the gate at the east of the passenger house open. If the matter now be presented to the company, it is probable the fence across that portion of the grounds, and the piles of ties and lumber, and the sidetrack may be dispensed with. If the proper steps had been taken at the time it would have prevented the fence being built there at all. The acquaintance of these gentlemen with the village of Buchanan is worth giving good culti-

Berrien County Criminal Record. From the abstract of the official business of Geo. W. Bridgman, late prose cuting attorney for Berrien county, we make the following summary of cases prosecuted during the year ending Dec.

Abduction, five-all discharged. Adultery, two-one convicted and fined \$175.

Arson, one-found guilty and sentenced to prison for eight years. Criminal assault, three—one convicted and sentenced to prison for 18

Assault with deadly weapons, etc.,

18-ten convicted and punished by fine or imprisonment. Assault and battery, 47-twenty-three convicted and punished by fine or im-

Burglary, nine-two convicted and sentenced to State's prison.

Forty-nine persons were prosecuted for larceny, of which 24 were convicted and punished according to law. One was prosecuted for murder and acqui ed; one convicted of a lling diseased meat; 8 prosecuted and 6 convicted of violating game laws; and 14 prosecuted and 5 convicted of violating liquor law. There were also 279 miscellaneous cases, of which 43 were convicted, and 2 are still pending. The total number of prosecutions was 436.—Palladium.

THERE have been two cases of analine poisoning in our town by using diamond dyes, when there was an abrasion of the skin on the hands of the person using the dye. Watervliet Cor. St. Joseph Herald.

FROM GALTEN.

Elder Brayton and wife, of Coloma, were in town Tuesday. Mr. Brayton was formerly pastor of the Baptist church here. His many friends were glad to see him. -

The tall, dignified, clerical looking gentlemen seen leisurely strolling about the streets, with crowds of boys sizing them up from behind the fences and trees, are applicants for positions in our schools next year.

Elder Cushman preached on "Laying on of Hands," at the Baptist church last Sunday. The sermon was worthy of a much larger audience.

to observe Memorial day in their old time fitting manner. The Galien Journal, a small paper

published at Buchanan in the interests of the Galien churches, appeared upon our streets a few weeks ago, and we notice the merchants are giving it their support by freely advertising. While it is a very creditable little paper, and Mayor Shakespeare, of New Orleans, | should secure the citizens' support, it might as well be published in Halifax so far as giving the Galien news is concerned. What we want is a permanent paper that will give us every week the doings of the Galien people in general. set forth our advantages, live right in our midst where it can see our wants and our wrongs and tell us about them. Such a paper would receive the hearty

support of all Galien and vicinity. Mr. Ballengee, of New Troy, was in town Saturday. Mr. Ballengee balances the scales at an eyen 270 pounds.

LaMont Sayler, of St. Elmo, Ill, is at M. I. Smith's. A reliable farmer says that the fruit is all killed by the late frost. We hope be don't know anything about it. [We

think he didn't. ED.] You can add F. B. Cutsh tw's name to the list of those who have painted their houses, cleaned their yards, and fixed up in general this spring. May

the good work go on. About fifteen of our young people attended the commencement exercises at Three Oaks, Tuesday evening, and they report a pleasant time.

FROM BERRIEN CENTRE.

The frost and hard freezo last Sunday night killed much of the small fruit Mr. W. E. Peck is able to ride out

every day. He went to Eau Claire to-The Berrien Centre S. S. will reorgan-

ize and elect new officers on Sunday, May 31. Mr. Elroy Hess and sister Nora Sunlayed with their sister, Mrs. Dwight

Fisher, at Keeler Centre. John P. Shaffer is working at carpentering in Valparaiso, Ind., this sum-

Decoration services will be held at Morris Chapel church, Sunday, May 31, 1891, by Geo. G. Meade Post No. 36, G. A. R., of Berrien Centre. Rev. S. P. Fryberger, of Berrien Springs will de-

Mr. Wm. H. Becker's new wagon shop is receiving a coat of paint. Mr. J. K. P. McCullough is doing the work. Hon, Thomas Mars is holding meetings among the grangers of Cass county

this week. The Review Board is in session at the Grange hall, and Mr. Groat's asssessment is nearing completion. Roadmaster W. G. Smith is heaping

up dust in the center of the highways. The principal want just now is rain to bring on the spring crops.

Mr. W. B. Smith had a runaway at the Centre this morning, and was thrown from his buggy but without much damage, save the breaking of the

Mrs. Frank Cummings, of Centreville, Mich., is the guest of Mrs. Dr. Antisdale.

THE 17th annual meeting of the Berrien County Pioneer Picnic Association will occur Wednesday, June 3, at Berrien Springs. Preparations are making for the grandest meeting the society has yet known. The grounds will be in a desirable order, the speeches short and full of point, the music of the approved variety and the refreshments provided by caterers of experience who will only try to get your money's worth.

The following program will be closey adhered to: Association will be called to order at 10 a.m. After prayer reports of the officers will be heard and acted upon.

Appointment of Committees, miscellaneous business. Adjournment for Business will be resumed at 1:30 p.

Address of Welcome: R.D. Dix, President of Berrien Springs.
Response: Norman Nims, President of Association. Address: Rev. J. F. Bartmess, Bu-

SHORT SPEEC	HES BY
A. M. Lapierre,	Niles
N. A. Hamilton	St. Joseph
Col. L. M. Ward,	.Benton Harbor
Wm. Chamberlain,	
A. L. Drew,	Chikaming
Isaac Murphy,	Berrien
Dr. J. S. Beers,	Stevensville
Josephus Fisher,	Sodus
D. T. Feather,	Oronoko
L. P. Fox	Buchanan
Rev. W. A. Prouty,	Decatur
Rev. S. P. Fryberger,	Berrien Springs
Poem-U. B. Webster,	Fairplain
RECITATIO	
Susie Mars,	. Berrien Springs
Ida Bridgman,	Lake
F. L. Jones,	Oronoko

Historian, Hon. Levi Sparks. Obituaries, Hon. Thos. Mars. Reports of Committees. Election of officers.

Music will be furnished by the Hill & Thompson Troupe and by the Berrien Springs Cornet Band. Refreshments under charge of J. B. Dilly, of Berrien Springs, to whom all requests for privileges should be addressed:—Era

THE children of school age included in the apportionment of public money and the amounts accraing to the several townships and the city of Niles are as follows:

CHILDREN. AMOUNT.

Bainbridge: 471\$	306 15
Benton	
Berrien 402	261 30
Bertrand 365	231 40
Buchanan 796	517 40
Chikaming 403	261 95
Galien 392	254 80
Hagar 229	148 85
Lake 496	822 40
Lincoln 693	450 45
New Buffalo 341	221 65
Niles 402	261 30
Niles City1281	832 65
Oronoko 484	314 60
Pipestone 519	337 35
Royalten 317	246 35
St. Joseph1253	814 45
Sodus 861	234 65
Three Oaks 611	397 15
Watervliet 598	388 70
Weesaw	217 75

12,659

\$8228 35

Total

—В. S. Era.

Berrien County Battalion

HDORS. BERRIEN CO. BATTALION,) G. A. R. AND S. O. V., COLOMA, Mich., May 15, 1891. To the Posts and Camps:

COMRADES AND SONS:—It has been suggested that the Battalion postpone the reunion for this year and bend all our energies towards Detroit. Further, that the Battalion go to Detroit as an organization, hold our business meeting there and elect officers and choose place for next meeting. In order to settle this matter it become necessary to have a meeting of the ex-ecutive committee. The executive committee will therefore meet at the Post Room of Geo. H. Thomas Post in Benton Harbor, on Monday, June 1, The "boys" are making arrangements | 1891, at 7 o'clock p. m. Posts and Camps that have not elected members of this executive committee will do so at the next meeting, if one occurs be fore May 30; if not, then attend to it when you assemble for decoration, on May 30. Also, at such meeting, take the vote of the Post or Camp on the following questions, and instruct your members of the executive committee accordingly:

1st. Are you in favor of postponing the reunion at Paw Paw Lake? 2d. Are you in favor of going to De troit as an organization (Berrien Courty Battalion)? 3d. Are you in avor of holding the business meeting at Detroit and elect-

ing new officers and new place of reunion, or are you in favor of old officers and the chosen place, holding over

Respectfully Yours in F. C. & L., WM, A. BAKER, President. WM. A. CLAUSER, Secretary.

A RIDE through the country emphatically disproves the statements of some of our contemporaries that apples are blooming very sparcely-true, the Baldwin trees are not loaded with bloom, but there is sufficient bloom to ind cate a half crop of Baldwins, but many other varieties show a mass of bloom seldom if ever equaled .- Watervliet Record.

Twins With Two Birthdays. Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hudson, of Bainbridge, rejoice in the advent of twin babies, a boy and a girl, born—however, that is the point. The young man was born at two minutes before midnight Friday night and his little sister arrived three minutes later, the clock mean-

time striking the hour which parted two days. The boy's birthday consequently falls on May 15th and the girl's natal day on May 16th—for no one questions the accuracy of the staid old family clock which has told off the hours faithfully and true these many years,-Palladium.

A Stabbing Affray. Ed. Chappel and Albert Beaton, who reside on the Britain road about six miles east of Benton Harbor, and whose farms join each other, got into an altercation Sunday about a division fence. Some pretty hard language was indulged in by the men and finally Beaton, who had been called a vile name by Chappel, started toward the latter in a threatening manner. As be came near Chappel the man drew a large jack knife from his pocket and succeeded in stabbing Beaton three time; before he ated assailant. Beaton received two thrusts in his left arm, which be threw up to ward off the blows, and at the third blow was stabled in the left side. the point of the sharp blade penetrat pulled it out. Had the knife blade passed between the ribs it might have caused a much more serious injury, i not death. Chappel has not been ar rested.—B. H. Palladium.

State Items.

Wool buyers throughout the state are being notified by eastern dealers. that farmers should tie up their fleeces with wool twine instead of binding twine. The directions are to discount two cents for the wool tied with binding twine.—Dowagiac Republican.

Dr. A. S. Russell, of Battle Creek has an interesting tablet, 4x10 inches in size, taken from Edmore's historic excavation. The tablet, which is made of baked clay has marked on it the figure of an elephant, and antiquarians are now trying to ascertain where the fellow who made the tablet of tained his idea of an animal which is suppos-

tho e pristine days. A ruinous fire swept over a large portion of Muskegon, Saturday, burning a large number of business blocks, dwellings and the court house. All but eight of the buildings burned were frame, two-stories high. The loss is estimated by insurance men at \$500,000, and the insurance at \$300,-000. It is the most disasterous city fire that has been known in Michigan

in a number of years. Tuesday evening on the beach, near South Haven, was picked up a bottle in which was a piece of paper containing the following, unsigned: "My Dear Pet:-I am writing this on the rail of the D. A. Wells. She will reel shortly. Kiss the children, and collect mv life insurance. Mrs. Morgan Montressor, Grand Pacific hotel, Chicago." The schooner D. A. Wells foundered off Chicago harbor some eight or ten years ago, and her crew of eight or nine men were lost.—Detroit Tribune.

Some time ago Joseph Vallier, a Bay City man, bought a piano of G. E. Van Syckle for \$400. He had paid \$110 in installments when his house burned. and the piano with it. He then refused to pay any more, and the seller of the box sued him. The case dragged along a long time, but has finally been decided, and that decision is hard on Mr. Vallier. He must continue to pay installments on that burned piano the same as if it was now in good shape.-

Detroit Journal.

Footprints of the World's History. It is a relief to pick up a new book that is at once thrilling, romantic, wholesome, pure, and true. Such a work is "Footprints of the World's History," the latest and greatest work of the two celebrated historians, John Clark Ridpath and Wm. S. Bryan. These distinguished gentlemen, having won their laurals by independent writings, have co-operated on this work, and produced a gem "of the purest ray serene." It is not a dry, uninteresting statement of the plain facts, but rather each of the most important events of history has been taken up and described by a master of language, who holds the reader entranced as he wends his way along the path of history, follow-

ing carefully in the footprints of prog-We are delighted with this superb volume. Perfect in thought, superbin style, and magnificent in execution. The bindings are sumptuo s, as are also the many illustrations and colored plates. The Publishers have rightly

concluded that such a gem should have a rich setting. It is a valuable addition to literature. It is a book for the old as well as the young; the married as well as the single; the gay as well as the grave. Everybody will read it with equal eagerness and profit. It is sold only through agents, and the Publishers' advertisement appears in another column,-From the Christian Record, Reading,

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Ber-

All persons are hereby notified that there has been filed with the County Clerk of the county of Berrien, Michigan, (he being the clerk of the Board of Supervisors of said county) at his office in the village of Berrien Springs. in said county, a petition executed by the village of Buchanan, by its President and Clerk, praying leave to construct a dam over and across the St. Joseph river, in the village of Buchanan, and county aforesaid, at any point on its course between the east line of said village, where it intersects and crosses the said river, and the west line of section twenty-five (25), township seven (7) south, range eighteen (18) west, where said line crosses the said river. - That such proposed dam is for the purpose of accumulating and storing water and water power for supply ing and operating a system of public water works, and for other municipal purposes, in and for the said village of Buchanan; that such dam is to be not more than four hundred and lifty (450) feet long, according to location, and twelve (12) feet high above the level of the water at the dam: that such dam shall be constructed of timbers of proper dimensions well fitted together and resting upon a timber foundation extending from shore to shore, embedded level on the bottom of said river. Upon

shore end of said platform will be built a stone abutment, against which will abut the ends of said dam. A row for another year, if reunion is post- of piling driven beneath the platform at its down stream side, and a breast built upon it on its up stream side, will be for the special purpose of preventing the entrance of water under the said platform. Earth embankments sixteen (16) feet wide on top, four (4) feet higher than crest of dam, and level with the top of said abutments, shall be built at both ends of said dam; connecting same with the higher lands back from the shores, or along the same, according to the location of said

Such dam shall have a fish chute after the plans of Shaw's fish chute, adopted by the State of Michigan, and shall have no other chute, lock or A fuller and more detailed descrip-

tion of such proposed dam can be obtained from the petition and plans on file in the said office of said County Said petition shall be presented to the Board of Supervisors, of the said

county of Berrien, at its next regular meeting, to be held at the village of Berrien Springs, in the month of June, THE VILLAGE OF BUCHANAN. WM. R. Rough, President. FRANK A. TREAT, Clerk.

Dated this 4th day of May, A. D. 1891. Little But Lively.

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Estate of Henry Vite.

First publication May 14, 1891. STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien, ss.—
At a session of the Probate Court for said county, held at the Probate office, in the village of Berrien Springs, on the 13th day of May, in the year one thousand cight hundred and ninety-one.

Present, David E. Hinman, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of Henry Vite, deceased. deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of John C. Vite, son of deceased, praying that administration of said estate may be granted to William R. Rough, or to some other suitable person.

William R. Rough, or to some other suitable person.

Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the 9th day of June next, at ten o'clock in the foremon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons inferested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden in the Probate office, in the village of Berrien Springs, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted: And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.) DAVID E, HINMAN, [L. S.]

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Estate of James Miller. First publication May 7, 1891. CTATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Berrien,—se. At a session of the Probate Court for said County, held at the Probate office, in the Village of Berrien Springs, on the 1st day of May, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-

Present, David E. Hinman, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of James Miller, decased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Edward W. Miller, praying that acertain instrument now on file in this court, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, may be admitted to probate, and that administration of said estate may be granted to Frank Lamb, the executor named in said will, or to some other suitable person.

Therenpon it is ordered, that Monday, the lst day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for the hearing of said petition, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said cestate, are re-

and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said court, then to be holden in the Probate Office, in the village of Berrien Springs, and show cause, if any there be, why the prayer of the petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered, that said petitioner give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said petition, and the hearing thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

(A true copy.)

DAVID E. HINMAN,

[SEAL.]

Last publication May 28, 1891.

Estate of Phebe Geyer. First publication May 7, 1891.

Last publication May 28, 1891.

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O'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 Saturday, the 30th day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

Present, DAVID E. HINMAN, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Phebe Geyer, deceased. deceased.

Joseph P. Geyer, Administrator of said estate, comes into court and represents that he is now prepared to render his final account as such administrator. administrator.
Thereinpon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the 2d day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, be assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the heirs at law of said deceasaccount, 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 Couri, then to be holden at the Probate office, in the Village of Berrien Springs, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed; And it is further ordered, that said admistrator 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.

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DAVID E. HINMAN,
Judge of Probate Last publication May 28, 1891. Estate of John M. Geyer.

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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 in the Probate office, in the village of Berrien Springs, on Saturday, the 30th day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety-one.

Present, DAVID E. HINMAN, Judge of Probate.
In the matter of the estate of John M. Geyer, deceased. In the matter of the estate of John M. Geyer, deceased,
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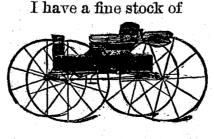
Thereupon it is ordered, that Tuesday, the 2d day of June next, at ten o'clock in the forencon, he assigned for examining and allowing such account, and that the heirs at law of said deceased, and all other persons interested in said estate, are required to appear at a session of said Court, then to be holden at the Probate Office, in the village of Berrien Springs, in said county, and show cause, if any there be, why the said account should not be allowed: And it is further ordered, that said administrator give notice to the persons interested in said estate, of the pendency of said account, and the hearing, thereof, by causing a copy of this order to be published in the Buchanan Record, a newspaper printed and circulating in said County, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

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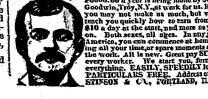


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Salt, retail-\$1.00 Flour-\$5.20 @ \$6.00 per bbl., retail.

Honey-14c. Live poultry-6c. Wheat, -\$1 00.

Oats -50c. Corn-70c.

Beans-\$2.00.

Live Hogs-\$4.00. Come to Buchanan on May 30.

HERERT I. POTTER will deliver the address at Berrien Centre on Menorial

CHARLEY REDDEN is home from Chicago.

Some Niles wheelmen were over from Niles Sunday.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Harper, of Cassopolis, Thursday.

Yor will hear a good address by Mr. Victor M. Gore, in Buchanan, May 30.

MRS. N. HAMILTON has been quite seriously ill the past few weeks with grippe, and is still quite ill.

MR. N. HAMILTON has been making his old house new by the application of a coat of paint.

On the first page of this paper appears a speech that should be read by every citizen of the United States.

A BILL has passed the house at Lansing authorizing Three Oaks to borrow \$5,000 for public improvements.

THE post-office receipts at Three Oaks last year amounted to \$6,383,55. Pretty good for 1,000 inhabitants.

MRS. WILLIAM KOONS and daughter Myrtie and Mis. E. Petrequin are visiting this week in Cassopolis.

THE fire company will give a test display after the regular exercises on Decoration day.

ROLLA ROE has moved his job printing office into the old Enterprise office,

over Weaver's store. THE Niles Mayor is ca'led upon to appoint special police to keep order in

the churches in that city. DR. J. G. MANSFIELD announces that he is ready for business in the dentistry line. He has opened an office in

Forbes' block, in St. Joseph. THE fire at Muskegon, Saturday, destroyed a house and barn belonging to

Mrs. Dr. E. S. Dodd, of this place, valued at \$3,000, and insured for \$1,200. A STEAM yatch 30 by 6 feet 6 inches is being built by the Racine boat works

for pleasure service on the St. Joseph river above the Niles dam. WATERVLIET schools are closed on account of diphtheria. One of the pu-

MRS. EDITH C. O'NELL, of Burt, Iowa, arrived in this place Saturday,

pils has died and others are seriously

for a few weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Crawford. Miss II, E. Down and Miss Salome Beardsley, of Chicago, are spending the

week with Miss Beardsley's people, in THE good, lively shower in this

place, yesterday afternoon, and anoththis morning give vegetation a new lease of life. It was greatly needed. NILES Common Council proposes to

charge street fakirs a license of \$5 per day. Some of them would not be dear at \$50.

MR. AND MRS. D. M. COONLY and drove to this place for a pleasure trip,

THE C. W. & M. railroad sent the first pay-car over the road last Thurs- who is visiting here, had the misforday. Heretofore they have paid off by tune to lose a ruby out of her finger checks.

THE hook and ladder company are preparing a musical and literary enter- and will be a good find for whoever is tainment for the evening of May 30. Admission 10 and 15 cents. Reserved seats 20 cents.

JACOB TRAUB, living in the southeast corner of Bertrand, had his barn, granary, a lot of tools, grain and some Farmers' Mutual.

FROSTS, and quite hard ones, were found in this vicinity. Saturday and Sunday mornings. Some of the grape leaves show the effects. A few of the tender garden plants look rather sickly

REV. J. F. BARTMESS is attending the U. B. District Sunday School Convention, in Marcellus, this week. He will be here to attend services next Sunday.

A BILL has passed the house committee of the whole substituting a county commissioner of schools, to be elected by the people, for the county board of school examiners.

The Star is now regularly a six page paper. It looks like prosperity. Niles business men are better advertisers than before the daily papers were started there.

THE ladies of the M. E. church will give an experience social, next Wednesday evening. An admission fee of five cents will be charged. Ice cream and cake will be served.

FRANK LISTER made a fine display of blooded colts upon last Sa'urday. Frank partial to the "Wilkes" family, and think they are bound to win. See advertisement in another column.

THREE OAKS people are taking up a subscription to start their cheese factory. It might not be a bad idea to have our butter factory treated likewise. Are none of the farmers in this vicinity interested?

THE projectors of the skunk farm have reuted the orchard on the Moon farm, at the north part of town, for their business, and will get the establishment in working order as speedily as possible. May success be theirs.

THE present quarters of the Modern Woodmen being too small to accommodate the constantly increasing membership, they have leased of Dr. J. M. Roe, for a term of five years, the hall adjoining the Odd Fellows' room.

vices at the time of their fire. The boys didn't go with the expectation of receiving any pay for their services, and hold themselves in readiness to do soagain if needed.

MR. WHITE stayed out all of Saturday and Sunday nights and kept fires burning around his strawberry patch. He burned several cords of wood but his strawberries are all right and doing

A COMMITTEE of the Berrien County Bar, consisting of Theo. G. Beaver, Herbert L. Potter and Geo. M. Valentine, met in Berrien Springs, Tuesday afternoon, and drafted resolutions in died recently in Benton Harbor.

NILES City Council is wrestling with the question whether they shall distribute electric lights all over the city, or only on a few of the principal streets. The tax will be spread over the entire

CHIEF DODD requests the RECORD to say that there will be a special meeting of the Buchanan Fire Department, at Engine House No. 1, on Monday evening, and he wished to see every member of the department

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the post-office at Buchanan, Mich.; for the week ending May 18, 1891: Margaret Baker, John Gnagy.

Call for letters advertised. JOHN GRAHAM, P. M.

A PICTURE dealer was about town last Saturday who ought to have found his way out of town straddle of a rail. His language to ladies, who happened to be alone when he called, was such that he should not be telerated in the

MR. HENRY EBERSOL, an old citizen of Bertrand township, died last Friday, at his home on the east side of Portage Prairie, where he had lived thirty-seven years. Mr. Ebersol was 76 years of age. The funeral services were held Sunday.

A wagonette load, consisting of George, Harry and Mrs. Merrill, Fred Tichenor, Herb. Schoch, Lew Boyle, Misses Kit Kingery, Ivy Henderson, Effic Perry and the Grover sisters took a drive to Edwardsburg, Sunday. D. V. Brown accompanied them from

THE sheriff of Laporte has taken into his charge an old German woman who is insane, and in her wild talk some times mentions living in Buchanan. If anyone knows of such a person who is missing, they may make it known to Deputy Sheriff O. L. Blake, or write

directly to the sheriff at Laporte. WARNING.—There is a by-law in this village providing a fine for horse racing, and the writer proposes to see that it is enforced, so far as Front street is concerned. Some of the youngsters who use that as a speeding ground will do well to stop now, as the next notice will be a warrant.

THE ladies of the Women's Relief Corps request that all who can contribute flowers for Decoration day to deliver them at the Engine house next week Thursday and Friday, and ask Mr. and Mis. Friland, of South Bend, those who can do so to lend such assistance as they can in preparing

> MRS. WM. DYER, of Troy, N. Y., ring into the grass along the sidewalk, at the front of G. W. Noble's residence, on Front street. The stone cost \$175, lucky enough to recover it.

MEMORIAL services will be held at the Oak street A. C. church next Sabbath, at 3 p.m. Good music will be provided for the occasion. Rev. Adair will deliver the Memorial address. All sheep burned, yesterday afternoon, are invited. The members of Wm. The loss will probable reach \$1000; Perrott Post, G. A. R., will meet at the partly covered by insurance in the W.R.C. ball and march to the church together.

ENOS HOLMES, administrator of the estate of Garret C. Stryker, sold what is known as the Dr. Richardson property in West Niles, at public auction, last Saturday. The property was bid in by Mr. L. P. Fox of this place at \$1900. Mr. Stryker paid \$3000 for the place and spent several hundred dollars improving the property.

Notice.

The annual meeting of the Buchanan Soldiers' and Sailors' Monumental Association, for the election of trustees and for the transaction of other business that may come before the meeting. will be held at John C. Dick's office, JOHN C. DICK, Sec.

A NUMBER of boys in this place are robbing every bird nest they can find of its eggs, on the plea of making egg collections. In their hands the egg collections are of about the same scientific value as an equal number of marbles, and it is high time to call a halt and give these boys to understand that they must keep their hands off.

Marriage Licenses.

1428 Nichols Blake, Bertrand. Vida Young, Niles. 1429 | Frederick Sash, Pipestone. Amelia Sick, St. Joseph.

1230 Henry Russell, Watervliet. Mary Martel, Benton Harbor. 1431 | John E. Blackman, Watervliet. Mary M. Muldoon, Hagar. 1432 { Charles A. Taylor, Indiana.

A MICHIGAN CENTRAL car was robbed in Michigan City, Tuesday night, and in the ruin a lot of goods coming to Weaver & Co, in this place, were broken open and partly taken. They received notice this morning, and up to time of our going to press had not been able to fully determine the extent of the damage. John Morris thinks he was caught in the same snap, as some of his goods are missing.

THE members of the Sylvia Eastern Star Chapter had a fine time last evening in Masonic hall. Thirty one members were present from South Bend. An address, music, declamations, etc. THREE OAKS has sent \$25 to the fire were the order of the evening. A company of this place for their ser- feast was hal at Dr. M. M. Knight's residence, and the visiting brothers sisters and made fully to enjoy their

> THE plum crop in this section is in excellent condition thus far, and a little time with a spraying outfit two or three times before the middle of June will give those who have trees a crop of plums. There is no better fruit grown in Michigan, and the trouble is so slight that it should not be neglected. A teaspoonful of London purple in a pail of water does the business.

There is a fire limit marked on the village of Buchanan, and within its boundaries no one is expected to memory of the late Thomas Flood, who | erect any building of wood, yet it is done every year, and the ordinance is not enforced. The first thing the good citizens of Buchanan know they will be most awfully sorry that that ordinance had not been looked after. One good fire is usually sufficient penalty.

> MAY PANSY is on our table; full of good stories, poems and pictures. It is especially intended for Sunday as well as week-day reading. \$1 a year; 10 cts, a number. Why don't some of our boy and girl readers try to secure one of the handsome Safety Bicycles offered by the publishers for new subscribers? D. Lothrop Co., Boston, Mass, Publishers.

Our Little Men and Women for May is a trifle belated, but none the less a most welcome visitor. For the boys and girls, six to nine-"youngest readers"-this magazine is unexcelled. The publishers, D. Lothrop Co., Boston, offer to send a specimen (back number) for 5 cents. \$1.00 a year; 12 ets a number. Better get a copy, boys and girls, and look up the Safety Bicycle offer the publishers are making. Something remarkable:

adopted:

quan, Newton E. Smith. Therefore,

Resolved, That in our surrow for a faithful and beloved member we mourn for one who was most worthy of our respect and esteem, and that we extend to those who were bound to our brother by the nearest and dearest ties our deepest sympathy, and commend to Him who has said, "My grace is onfficient", hoping that we may be reunit-

MR. MILLER and the Michigan Central engineers were here Tuesday, to talk about a spur to take their cars to the wagon works and other factories, and in such a way that it may in future be extended to other parts of town. They were met by the committee, appointed last week for the purpose, and shown about town. They promised to make a survey in a short time to determine the cheapest and most feasible route, and will make the manufacturers a proposition. The spur will be built at once if at all; as the company now has a lot of rail which is being thrown out, and which will be available for the purpose. It certainly should have been done long ago. It will be a great convenience to all shippers, great and

the dam went out, the year before the

war of 1812.—S. B. Tribune.

night did no very great damage in this vicinity. The strawberries in some localities were somewhat injured but

MORRIS' THE FAIR.

A FREE PASS TO SEE THE WORLD'S FAIR Cannot be had. The rustling, hustling, pushing, energetic, tireless, fearless, incomparable and unchallenged

LEADER IN BARGAINS!

Is again reading the riot act to high priced would-be competitors. See what we have

Just received, a lot of MEN'S PANTS.

Wednesday evening, May 27, at 7:30 Satting, Madrus Cloth and Flanne Shirts. which we are offering at bargains. Come in and make your selections. We can save you 25 to 50 per cent.

Our 5c counters a great attraction. Hundreds of 15c articles all go for 5c. Our 10c counters have surprised everybody. 25 and 35c articles all go for 10c. In Pocket Knives we sell at 25c and 50c, others ask 75c and \$1.00. Good Table

Our Cigar and Tobacco Stock is the largest and best assortment in Berrien county. We have 25 different brands of Plug Tobacco, 30 different brands of Cigars, 10 different brands of Fine Cut Tobacco, 25 different brands of Smoking

Tobacco. So you see we have a large assortment to select from. Our CONFECTIONERY

Department is at the front with the choic-FRUITS AND NUTS.

the 10c and 15c vests, at

S. P. HIGH'S.

A BIG VARIETY OF OTHER GOODS WHICH YOU WILL SEE BY CALLING.

*WE are informed through the committee at this city, that the dam across Paw Paw viver will be built. Mr. F. A. Blackmer, civil engineer and other parties were here last Saturday, taking the level and locating the sight for the We are further informed that the dam at Benton Harpor will not be built, and the company will place their plant here, which an estimate at a low figure, that \$200,000 will be spent here the coming season, making this a booming village. If the above is true, and we have no reason doubt it, this village will be to the head of all others. Hoping that the citizens in this vicinity, will take abolt and help and secure the right away. It will benefit the farmers in this region as well as our merchants, and other business in this village.-

MORRIS' THE

Coloma Boomer.

Supervisor's Notice. Notice is hereby given that the assessment roll of and for the township of Buchanan for the year 1891 is completed, and that on Monday and Tuesday, the 25th and 26th days of May 1891, commencing at 9 o'clock a. m. and continuing in session at least six hours of each of said days, the Board of Review of the township of Buchanan will be in session in the office of Rough Bros. wagon works, in the village of Buchanan, for the purpose of reviewing said assessment roll, and persons feeling themselves aggrieved by such assessment may then be be ard.

J. P. BEISTLE, Supervisor. Bids Wanted. The undersigned street committee

only, as follows: A wall to be built of cobble stone and water lime, and laid on plank foundation, in the creek on Day's avenue. Length of wall, 500 feet; height of wall, 6 feet; width of wall on bottom, 30 inches; width of wall on top, J. L. RICHARDS, Street Com.

FOR SALE cheap, a good Single

Eat Good Bread, such as you get of

BOARDMAN & WEHRLE will give you

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Ladies, come and get a vest for 10

Don't make a mistake, but come and

learn my prices, and I will sell you the

Ten Bars Kirk Soap for 25 cents.

TO EXCHANGE.

A good blocky, built Work Horse, 7

years old, sound and all right, will be

exchanged for a good, strappy, Single

Driver. Will add money for one that is

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ADAM KERN has moved into the

shoes and furnishing goods as hereto-

side of the street hereafter. He is

putting in a fresh stock of new goods,

and invites people to call and see them.

Gold Fish, for stocking streams and

DOUTS & SHOES.

future anything in the line of Boots,

Shoes or Rubbers, you will find it to

HAMMOCKS! HAMMOCKS!!

HARRY BINNS, OPP. HOTEL.

First-class Groceries, cheaper than

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New Vegetables of all kinds, at a SPARKS & HATHAWAY'S.

The most stylish Millinery in town is

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The best All-Wool Extra Super at 57 cts., at

Shelf Paper, Blank Books, Memo-

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Alarm Clock, a Rocking Chair, a Stand

Call for Mushrooms by the can.

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We are agents for the Reddy Oil

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A nice line of Dress Ginghams just

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If you have occasion to use in the

Young Trout, German Carp and

J. S. TUTTLE, Niles, Mich.

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FRANK LISTER.

Buchanan, Mich.

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Other Goods in proportion, at TREAT BROS.

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J. P. BEISTLE, Additional locals on second page. Locals.

THE C. L. S. C. held the last meeting for the year with Mrs. Clyde Baker, at which the following resolutions were

WHEREAS, Our Heavenly Father in His providence has removed from our Circle our friend and fellow chautau-

ed an unbroken circle in our Heavenly

THE long-expected boom in Niles is now on, and a lively future for the town is assured. A team actually got scared there last week, ran away, broke a neckvoke and skinned the bark off a | nets, and wishes to extend an invita- piano. big maple tree. The owner of the horses escaped with his life by not being in the wagon when the terrible accident occurred, but on account of the spirit and enterprise showed by the team he has raised the price on them several hundred dollars; the proprietor of the tree will sue for damages and altogether there has not been as much excitement in the dear old town since

The Tribune evidently does know whom it? is "monkeying" with. The Star will call down its wrath of man upon the Hoosier commonwealth, if such left-handed praise be continued. Boom the town.

So FAR as known the frost Saturday there are plenty left yet.—Palladium.

Where You Can Buy

Examine the Following Prices

SEE BY CALLING.	
THE FAIR.	Lonsdale, 8c, formerly Fruit of Loom, 8元, " Hope, 7c, "
Best Lace Curtains you ever saw for \$1.75, at H. B. DUNCAN. Call for Jackson Flour, at SPARKS & HATHAWAY'S. We are chock full of New Goods. Come in, at MORRIS' The Fair.	Lawrence LL, unbl'chd, 5c, " Pepperell R, " 6½, " Argyle, " 7c, " The best Calico, - 4c, " All of the Shirting Print, 5c.
- Before buying elsewhere, look at	

Nice, Fancy Ties for 5c, at H. B. DUNCAN'S. Fishing Tackle, at MORRIS' The Fair.

Wall Paper 4c and upwards, at VBARMORE'S. My stock is still going, so please call efore the best goods are gone. assortment in town.

vanting a Carpet can save money by H. B. DUNCAN. // buying of We have the exclusive sale of Sanitarium Goods. Sanitarium Coffee 10c

per pound. SPARKS & HATHAWAY. A comparison of the styles and prices will convince you that you S. P. HIGH'S. 5 should trade at

The best All-Wool Extra Super at 57 cts., at Do you want a small Engine? 1 have one four-horse power, vertical Engine and Boiler, in good order, and desire to receive bids for mason work am willing to sell it at a bargain. The inside or exposed parts of the boiler J. G. HOLMES. A nice line of new Clocks just re-

House cleaning is here. Any one

H. LOUGH'S. ceived, at A nice line of Embroidered Skirtings. in black and white, at

S. P. HIGH'S. 40 cents buys an elegant side Lamp omplete, at

TREAT BROS. & CO'S. For the latest thing in Dress Trims. P. HIGH'S. mings, go to If you want a good Watch for a little money, call on H. E LOUGH.

The best All-Wool Extra Super at 57 cts., at Sewing Machine Repairs of all kinds, furnished by H, E. LOUGH. Ladies, clean your own Kid Gloves For 25 cents you can buy a box that

will cleau 1 dozen pair. Try it. 3

nd shirts, at MORRIS' The Fair.

· BARMORE. H. B. DUNCAN. 5 For Gents' Furnishing Goods, go to MORRIS' The Fair. The best All-Wool Extra Super at 57 cts., at C. H. BAKER'S. An elegant side Lamp given away with \$20 grocery trade. 20 grocery trade.

SPARKS & HATHAWAY.

SETTLE UP. The firm of BOYLE & BAKER being dissolved by mutual consent all persons knowing themselves indebted to them, are invited to call and settle at once, by cash or note, as all accounts must be settled by March 15, 1891. Marble building in Dayton, and will The books will be at the old stand for

continue his business in boots and 30 days. BOYLE & BAKER. Baking done to order, at TREAT BROS. & CO.'S.

HAMMOCKS. Before you buy a Hammock this spring, don't fail to see the Arrawanna, with pillow spreader and hook attachments. at H. BINNS', opp. Hotel. / Good Domestic Sewing Machine for sale cheap, at MRS. BERRICK'S. Cheapest place to buy Millinery, is, t MRS. BINNS.

See and be satisfied that we have the finest assortment of Umbrellas in town. and in prices we will please you. We sell Wilson Bros. Crow Dye Gents,

Hosiery. Warranted stainless, at /2 MORRIS' The Fair Where did you get your Hat? Why at MRS. BERRICK'S of course.

The best All-Wool Extra Super at 57 cts.; at Everything in Lamps, Crockery and Glasswar, at lowest prices. Look at TREAT BROS & CO'S. them o'er, at

I will sell you a new Upright Piano for \$175. A better one for \$200. Still better for \$250. Better yet for \$300, but \$400 will get you a still better one; but if you want as good a Weber Upright as was ever made, it will cost you more. See me before buying. I sell the Weber, Hazelton, Fischer, Mason & MRS. E. REDDING is prepared to do Hamlin, Kroeger, C. D. Pease and Straw work at her residence, upstairs others, and can sell you a Piano to fit on Main street. She has the blocks for your pocket-book, and will not charge all the leading shapes in hats and bon- you first-class wrice for a fourth-class JOHN G. HOLMES. If you would have your clothes that

MRS. BINNS' is the place to buy Mil- Russ' Bleaching Blue. Sold by all Call and take tickets and get an The lowest price on everything, at 2 S. P. HIGH'S. Don't forget that I still sell Pianos and Organs. If you contemplate buying either, see me before buying.

delicate clear white, so desirable, use

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DRESS-MAKING. Miss Elmira Burrus is prepared to do dress-making in the latest styles and give good work. Call at her-home on Day's Avenue, near the depot.

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At all prices and the best

All-Wool Carpet at - 55c. Wool Filler, Cot. Chain, 45c. Hemp Carpet at all Prices.

Nice Spring Jackets,

from \$2.50 to \$6.00.

A large assortment of

And prices to suit all.

C. H. BAKER. Latest styles in Gents' Neck Wear

in great variety in our Boys' Clothing Department. Do not fail to give us an opportunity to show our goods before you buy. Our prices are very low, considering the character of the Clothing which we are



This cut represents Shoes made by Laird, Schober & Mitchell. They are conceded to be the best make of Shoes made in America. They carried off the medal at the Paris Exposition. They have no equal. You can buy them of us for \$4 to \$5. They are sold in the large cities, the same quality, as high as \$6, \$7, \$8 and \$9.

We also have Ladies' Shoes for \$1.50, \$1.95, \$2.50 and \$8 that we recommend.

COME AND SEE US.

South Bend, Ind.

Citizens National Bank, NILES, MICH.

DEPOSITS AS REPORTED TO THE GOVERNMENT:

MAY 4, 1887, \$67,718.64.

MAY 4, 1888, \$90,140.42. MAY 4, 1889, \$122,716.54. MAY 4, 1890, \$128,971,42. **1891** \$167.702.78.

Largest and steadiest increase of business of any bank in Southwestern Michigan.

Controlled by these successful business men: J. L. Reddick, A G Gage, J. L. Richardson,

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HOLORON PROPERTY AND A PROPERTY OF THE PROPER DRUGS, TOILET ARTICLES,

Insect Powder, Paris Green,

BOOKS AND STATIONERY,

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Full line of Geneva Spectacles, Cheap as the cheapest,

GO TO Barmore's Orug Store.

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CORN PLOWS,

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-AND---RELIABLE GASOLINE STOVES,

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Dye Stuffs for Dyeing, Oil Meal for feeding. Ladies' and Children's Shoes. Dodd's Balsam for Coughs,

> And several other things for sale by DR. E. S. DODD & SON,

School Books to study,

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HARDWARE AND EMPORIUM!

We have moved our stock of Hardware into the Redden Block, bringing it and Treat Bros. stock of Groceries together.

You can buy anything from a pound of sugar to a gang plow of us. You will find our prices as low as the lowest. Give us a trial.

A Rainy Day in Spring. From leaden blonds there streams incessar

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rain.
That blights the building branches overhead
FIThe sodden violets—all their fragrance fledWeep, weary for the sunshine's smile again.
No gay bird wooers trill a tender strain: The woods are still: the windflower's petals "shed; And fresh sown fields around look bare and

Till warmth will come to wake the sleeping But kindly sunshine lights this little room,

For love makes summer in my heart today: What though the outer world be chilled and gray?
Within these walls there breaks a starry bloom
Of snowy blossoms, shining through the gloom
My darling's message, sent from far away,

Horses in Spectacles. One of the curious effects of the unwonted cold weather in Europe during the past winter was observed in Austrian Moravia, where the inhabitants are said

to be very fond of their horses and humanely inclined toward them. For many weeks the ground in . Moravia was covered with a thick coating of snow. As this was unusual, and the people found that their own eyes were deasantly affected by the intense whiteness of the snow, it occurred to them that their horses must be affected in the same way, and needed protection for their eyes.

The farmers, therefore, procured quantities of goggles and spectacles with black, blue or green glass, which they tied over their horses' eyes whenever they went out.

A market day in Moravia during the prevalence of the great snow is said to have been a funny sight. Scores of horses dragging wagons through the snow in the streets, or else improvised sleds and sledges were seen in the streets. and nearly every horse had on a pair of blife or green spectacles.

The white horses were especially comical, and if they possessed a sense of the ridiculous, as some horses are thought to do, perhaps they wished that they were black or chestnut, for on colored horses the glasses were not so conspicuous.-Youth's Companion.

An Interesting Old Church. The 150th anniversary of St. John's church is soon to be celebrated. This shows what an old city Richmond is, and doubtless other temporary houses of worship preceded St. John's. This was our first church, and from it all that large plateau known as Church hill took its name. The labors of the late Thomas H. Wynne and of Mr. R. A. Brock have rescued from oblivion and decay the church's records, and having been edited, annotated and published, they are part and parcel of the glorious history of

this commonwealth. It was in this church, before the Virginia convention, that Patrick Henry uttered the trumpet note of the Revolution in the stirring sentence, "Give me liberty or give me death," and it has been the scene of many other interesting occurrences. Though of wood, it stands in good condition, having escaped multitudinous fires, including those built in the city by Benedict Arnold's men, the great conflagration of 1786, and that of Evacuation Day.—Richmond Dispatch.

Tramps in Luck. All the tramps who have wandered to the immediate vicinity of Mount Holly. N. J., in the past week have, to use the parlance of their own tribe, been "right in de royalest kind o' luck." They have had one continual round of bacchanalian revels, and all growing out of the murder trial from which John Price escaped. One of the chief witnesses for the state during the trial was John McClain, a true specimen of the tramp tribe. He was an evewitness of the killing of "Bonner" by Price, and immediately after the tragedy was locked up to assure his appearance at the trial to testify. After the trial closed McClain was re-leased and paid off, his per diem allow-

The result of the introduction of this fortune into the realms of the tramp kingdom just at the close of a hard winter was demoralizing.—Philadelphia

ance amounting to seventy dollars.

A Rooster's Fast. Some two weeks ago Mrs. Martha Forsythe missed a favorite Cochin rooster, and, thinking that some one had stolen it, she purchased another. One evening about two weeks later Mrs. Forsythe went out to lock the coop, and seeing a box near the coop determined first to put it in the dry, that it might be used when occasion required. On picking up the box she was surprised to find the lost rooster, for Sir Chanticleer, stepped out as gayly as if he had, lived on corn by the bushel. The chicken had not had one grain of food for fourteen days. He had been picking his way through an old celery trench, and stepping on the

gahela Republican. Accidents of a Day.

box it had overtilted and imprisoned

him like Genevra in the chest.-Monon-

May 2 will long be remembered by the police, the ambulance and the hospital surgeons and the police headquarters telegraph operators as one conspicuous by reason of the number of accidents and incidents in which the police had to act. Sixty-eight dispatches announcing fires, accidents and crimes were posted in the telegraph bureau, and the mishaps to humanity numbering more than fifty, and comprised slight injuries, fractured limbs and fatalities.-New York Times.

A Missouri man, whose name is withheld from the public, offers to furnish the World's fair management with "Billy the Kid's" famous and deadly gun. Billy was only twenty-one years old when he died, but the stock of his gun contained twenty one notches, cut there by the owner to represent the number of the

M. Lambert, who married into the Rothschild family a few years ago, is to become the head of the Paris house of that famous firm upon the death of Baron Alphonse de Rothschild. M. Lambert is now known as Albert de

Women and the Eight Bour Movement. The question "What part are the women workers taking in the eight hour movement;" has been asked of several prominent labor people. Their replies might all be summed up in the words "Not any." Those who are taking the active part in the eight hour movement are already working only nine hours, and their wages average three or four dollars a day. There is no trade or women thoroughly organized, and until they are," says the secretary of the Working Women's society, "they can do nothing. Those who are in organizations are trying to get the state to regulate their hours of labor, and it seems positively brutal, from more than one point of view, to think that we women are asking that our sisters shall not be allowed to work more than ten hours a day. Ten hours is now considered a brutalizingly long day by those men who are striking for eight hours. But these men have excellent wages even for that short time, while the women of New York, if they worked even longer hours, could not make an honest living. · And even this simple demand we could

not obtain. The eight hour movement is an argument in favor of organizations of women separate from men. The men of a trade are naturally selfish; they consider their interests first, consequently reforms in the condition of women are tardy. And it always will be so until women themselves take up these problems. That, too, is one of the rather hopeless things. Women are not usually good material in a labor organization. There are always outside influences home ties that are brought forcibly to bear upon their actions at the critical moment. Then most girls feel that they won't have to work always; that they will soon have a

home of their own. This has much to do with retarding organization among women. That it will be a great many years before women will have the eight hour work day is the general opinion. It may be trite to say that working women receive smaller pay and invariably work longer hours than men. The girl who is a saleswoman works

in the better class of stores nine and onehalf hours four days in the week and thirteen hours the remaining days. In the smaller places she usually spends thirteen or fourteen hours every day, sometimes in a seven day week. If sh is employed in a shirt factory, or if she makes gloves, overalls, jumpers, underwear, dresses or flowers, she works ten hours in the factory, because the law compels the manufacturer not to employ her longer, and then takes home work enough to keep her busy until 11 or 12 o'clock at night. If she is a dressmaker, milliner or tailoress she considers herself lucky to get four hours' work in the dull season and works sixteen in the "drag." If she is employed in a restaurant she works from 7 a.m. to 10 p. m.—New York Recorder.

Another Vanderbilt Yacht. Mr. Fred Vanderbilt was so much pleased with the excursions which he had upon James Gordon Bennett's yacht the Namouna and his brother's noble steam yacht, the Alva, that for the first time in his life he became quite infatuated with steam yachting, and determined upon his return to America to have one built for him. But by the merest chance he found in England a very fine yacht for sale. It is the Conqueror, and while not so perfect a specimen of steam yachting architecture as is

the Alva, yet is a very stanch and con-

venient vessel. Mr. Vanderbilt bought it, after inspection, and expects to take his first cruise in it with his family and a small party. He will sail from one of the English ports and visit Norway and Sweden, so as to arrive by the middle of June at the Land of the Midnight Sun. He will not return to America in the yacht, but it will be brought over for him. He may on his return pass at sea his brother Cornelius and Chauncev M. Depew, who expect to sail early in July. -New York Cor. Philadelphia Press.

Easy Fishing in Texas. Friday night L. Frankel, Mr. Smith, Miss Isadore Smith and others got into a skiff and started up the stream, rowing up among the water lilies and flags. The river was exceedingly muddy from the rain, and before the boat had proceeded far a large bass leaped from the water into the boat. It was followed by another and another, until within the space of a few minutes there were fifteen flopping, flourishing bass in the bottom of the boat, ranging from half a

pound to three pounds in weight. The action of these fish cannot be accounted for, as there was no light whatever in the boat. Several of the larger fish attempting these acrobatic feats jumped entirely over the boat.—San Antonio Express.

An Unnecessary If.

During the recent visit of Jay Gould, of New York, and his daughter to this city they were taken through the treasury building, and, of course, into the money room. There, as is usual, the guide gave them the opportunity of holding \$1,000,000 in their hands. The Hibernian guide, who had no idea who the visitors were, remarked:

"Och, miss, aff yez only owned the loikes av that now vez wouldn't be nadin' to worry about where yez would be getting your sphring wraps at ahl, at ahl," - Washington Cor. Philadelphia Record.

A Missing Tar Heel. A North Carolina man exploded twenty rounds of gunpowder under a mass of rock on the side of a mountain to loosen it, and the shock sent five acres of rocks, soil and trees rushing down for half a mile to fill up a valley and create a lake a mile and a half long. He has not been seen since the rush.—Detroit Free Press.

The Opening of the Season. Merchant—We will pay you three dol-lars a week if you, think you can do the

Young America — All right, boss. Draw up de contrack an' I'll sign wid your club.—Munsey's Weekly. Will He Go Next?

A certain young man in Astoria is feeling decidedly shaky over the report of a homicide in the San Francisco papers of Sunday. It is not the report of a single tragedy, however, that affects his nerves, but the fact that he was once intimately connected with the victims of four homicides. In 1883 five young men were expelled from a California military college for dragging a pompous and insulting drill master from his bed and pelting him with frost bitten potatoes and decayed apples.

In 1888 Dan Greenwell, one of the five, was shot and instantly killed in a row in Bodie. 1n 1889 Marshal Nicholson, another of the insubordinate students, was killed in northern California by an unknown assassin, and who lav in wait he the roadside and shot him through the head with a charge of buckshot. In 1890 Percy Williams, the third student, a brother of Sherrod Williams, who was formerly employed here by William T. Coleman & Co., was shot in a quarrel in Tulare, Cal., the result of a dispute over

Recently in San Francisco Russell L Thompson was shot through the head by his insane father-in-law while asleep Thus four of the five students have been shot, one in each year since 1887, leaving but one, who is meditating a dose of morphine to baffle the fate reserved for

him in 1892.—Astoria Bulletin. An English Club Man Dead.

The death of Mr. George Cavendish Bentinck came as a surprise to all, for though he had been in failing health for some time past, yet no serious alarm was entertained as to his ultimate safety. Indeed, only a few days previous to his death Mrs. Bentinck was on a visit to her younger daughter, Mrs. James, and certainly then no grave anxiety was felt on his account. Mr. Bentinck was one of the founders of the well known amateur acting club, the "Old Stagers," which was to celebrate its jubilee during the cricket week at Canterbury this year. Indeed, Mr. Bentinck was to have been the hero of the coming festivities, for if not the last he was certainly the oldest of the original band that organized the club. "Little Ben," as he was generally called, was a great connoisseur in art, besides being an enthusiastic collector. His house in Grafton street was a positive museum, but there is little likelihood of its many treasures being put up for sale. The late Mr. Bentinck's eldest son married Miss Livingstone, a daughter of Mr. Maturin Livingstone, of New York.—London Truth.

Bachelors Do Their Own Cooking. There is a widely popular fad among New York bachelors for domestic cook ery. It is quite English, you know. There are more men about town experimenting with a chafing dish than most people imagine. They get their own simple breakfast at first, then carefully and gradually branch out in the broader fields of the culinary art. "There is more amusement in this thing," said one of these amateurs, "than anything I've struck for a long time. I have a little alcohol lamp that you could put in your pocket, and with this little lamp and a chafing dish I can turn out a good many palatable things. A friend of mine in the same house took breakfast with me one Sunday morning. Now he's got it. It isn't much trouble. It lends the needed variety to everyday life. It saves a right good bit of money too. Though I took it up originally as an amusement. it is a sensible and highly satisfactory way to live."-New York Herald.

The Secret of Moltke's Power, trying to tear down the iron bars of the "Learn to condense" is a bit of comwindow. Sometimes he is the victim of monplace advice often given to students an uncontrollable fear of carpets, and of literary composition, but the lesson of refuses to step on one lest be might the great field marshal's life shows the plunge into the chasm which he imagines value of the admonition in every form of yawns before him. work, from the management of an army

harmony to the purpose of the hour.

sustenance upon the nervous forces, he

faculties under drill and discipline, and

energies of a kingdom into a cannon

ball, compact and irresistible. He drew

eight corps of the Prussian army from

battle, as a lens concentrates the sun-

beams. The center of the Austrian army

melted under the heat, and when the sun

went down upon the field Austria had

pire long before the challenge of Napo-

leon came, so that when the proclama-

German army, and move it like the

One of the standard toasts at most of

dinners here has been, "The ladies-

known to as many politicians and promi-

also chief clerk of the postoffice depart-

ment when General James was post-

master general, and is now the manager

of the largest safe deposit company in

, But Mr. Van Wormer will no longer

be called upon as a confirmed bachelor

to expatiate upon fair women at public

dinners. He has capitulated; he has

found the fairest of women; he has low-

ered his independent flag and salutes

one of the most charming of her sex, and

he is receiving congratulations by the

score. He is soon to marry Mrs. D.

Demorest Lloyd, whose husband was a

very successful playwright and journal-

ist, and whose sudden death was a great

bereavement to a large circle of friends.

-E. J. Edwards in Philadelphia Press.

He Paid the Loan.

It has been remarked that Hebrews do

not beg. Furthermore that Hebrews

look after their own poor, a distinguish-

ing trait, but we do not remember an

instance where a man or boy who was

housed in a police station house out of

compassion, and who was given a trifle

of money to get a meal, ever was at the

pains to return and refund the money.

valked from St. Louis to Pittsburg was

given a quarter of a dollar to satisfy his

hunger. His shoes were in ribbons.

When he earned two dollars he bought

who gave it to him. If Isaac Moser

lives he will be a successful business

Lord Melbourne's Way of Saying It.

The death of Lord Minto makes a va-

cancy in the Order of the Thistle for

which a number of names are men-

prominent. The order consists of twenty

members, including the four principal

royal dukes, and the decoration is eagerly

sought after by Scottish peers. It con-

sists of a star, a green ribbon and the

motto, "Nemo me impuno lacessit." A

good story has been revived of the reply

made by Lord Melbourne to a political

friend who had been importuning him

to give the decoration to a peer who was

more noted for his urbanity than, for his

great talents. "Give the thistle to ---!"

said Lord Melbourne, with one of his

usual expletives; "why. he'd eat it!"-

Marriage a Failure.

married. His fiancee, a maiden lady of

Globe Village, is ready for the ceremony,

but the b. w. is halting, necessarily on

account of a little financial difficult.

He has been contracting numerous bills

with "butchers and bakers and candle-

stick makers" at the North End. and

hasn't made much effort to pay them.

He sent to Canada for \$100 to get married

with, and ordered it sent by express. A

grocer, who is one of his creditors, heard

of the plan, and when the money ar-

rived at the express office it was attached, and the maiden still waits for the wid-

Broke Jail to Get Bail.

John Conrad, confined in the Jackson

county jail at Brownstown, Ind., wanted

bail, and succeeded in cutting a hole in

the rear upper part of the jail and es-

caping by the roof. He went on foot to

his home, ten miles away, but on failing

to arrange for bail he returned to the

jail and crawled back in through the

same hole by which he escaped. The

iailer knew nothing of the escape and

the return until informed by the pris-

An Expensive Luxury.

"Do you expect to go away this sum-

"Great Scott, no! Can't afford it-

been engaged for three months."—Epoch.

Fishing in the Alleghenies.

Good trout fishing need not be ex-

pected this summer in the Blue Ridge

and Allegheny mountains, for the recent

heavy rains have played sad havoc with

the finny tribe. The rainfall in the

south has been without precedent, and

the mountain streams have filled the

rivers and either scattered the trout or

lowlands and swamps by the recedin;

waters. The same fate has befallen that

game fish the black bass. Every river

south of Baltimore and Washington has

been overflowing its banks continuously

for the past two months. Long contin-

ued spring freshets are disastrous to the

fish. On the other hand, all kinds of

Bob White is likely to be in great abun-

His Kindness Caused His Death.

soon died of malignant diphtheria. Mr.

Ames was soon taken with the same dis-

ease and died .- Rockland (Me.) Courier-

King Otto, Bavaria's crazy sovereign,

is physically healthy, but is tireatened

with voluntary starvation in consequence

of his frequent refusals to eat for two or

three days. Occasionally he becomes

and exhausts himself by shouting and

Gazette.

dance next fall.—Harper's Weekly.

game in the south have wintered nicely

killed them by their being left on the

oner.—Cor. Chicago Herald.

ower -Fall River (Mass.) News.

A Bowenville widower wants to get

Scottish-American.

upon his race.—Pittsburg Bulletin.

the city.

tics of Germany.

to the writing of a letter. There was no A new electric thermostat, for use in waste in Moltke, not even a waste of ships' bunkers and refrigerating rooms, words, and men said of him that he has lately appeared, the special feature being a steel bulb inclosed in a frame could be silent in many languages. The reason was that he had learned to comhaving a set screw which can be altered bine his faculties and direct them all in so as to bring the mercurial column to a platinum contact wire exactly at the de-He needed all his energies for action, sired temperature. and because even talk must draw for

William J. Haines, who has just been said little. He had brought his own mustered in by the Frank P. Blair post, G. A. R., of St. Louis, is 103 years old in like manner he could condense the and a veteran of three wars. He is said to be the oldest Union soldier in the coun-

An Apparatus to Discover Comets.

divergent points and converged them The sensitiveness of selenium to light upon Sadowa in the critical moment of has been taken advantage of by Professor Barnard, of Lick Observatory, Cal., who has employed it in making a device for automatically detecting comets. A prism is placed in front of no longer either voice or vote in the polithe object glass of the telescope, and, as is well known, a prism will divide a ray By his infallible mathematics he of light into its primary colors-red, worked out the doom of the French emorange, yellow, etc. Back of the prism is a metal diaphragm with slits, corresponding to the position of the three tion of war was made he had nothing to hydrocarbon bands which characterize do but touch the little button that set in the spectrum of comets only. When motion all the complex machinery of the the light passes through the prism it is decomposed, and if the light is that sweep of a sword across France to the from a comet certain rays will pass field of destiny by the ramparts of Sedan.—M. M. Trumbull in Open Court. through the slits and fall upon a selenium cell which connects with a bat-

tery and an alarm. The most curious thing about the process is that the light of ordinary stars our important and many of the informal does not affect the apparatus, and that it is susceptible only to comets. The God bless them!" and the response is telescope is made to sweep the heavens usually made by Mr. John R. Van by automatic machinery, and as the Wormer, who is a witty, rapid, eneralarm will ring if a comet sweeps across getic speaker, and whose comments as a the face of the prism, the astronomers are not required to sit up all night to confirmed bachelor upon the charms of the other sex are always a delight to watch for the comets any more. Prohear. Mr. Van Wormer is probably fessor Barnard has the apparatus so arranged that it will ring the alarm in his nent men as any person of his years iu bedroom. This invention is regarded as New York. He was for a long time in an extremely important one in the meintimate relations with Senator Conkchanics of astronomy.-Boston Trahling, serving as the clerk of his committee and as his private secretary. He was

Employments for Women in France In all trades connected with food in France women are largely employed. In biscuit making they need to serve a somewhat arduous apprenticeship. The manufacture of shawls is very well paid, but is fatiguing. Taken as a whole there are not so many men employed in factories in Paris as in some other French towns. Sorting rags is a very unhealthy occupation. In this women are much employed, and receive in payment fifteen francs a week. Women are also employed in leather manufactories preparing the leather which is afterward pressed in machines.

In the making of military equipments women work equally in shops and in their own homes. Several large firms have the monopoly of this work, which is chiefly done by means of the sewing machine. In the making of perfumery, too, women are much employed; this and soap making needs but a very short apprenticeship. Tobacco employs 1,500 women out of 1,800 workpeople. For this six months' apprenticeship is needed, and the lowest salary is 31 francs a day. Weavers of fine stuff for furniture receive three francs a day. The weav-Our avenues of information on this hand ing of galloons for carriages and ribbons for decorations is done entirely by womare not few. A young Hebrew who

Clothing the Eiffel Tower. Two Frenchmen appeared at a linen factory in Jaroslay, in the Volga, four a pair of shoes, and left a quarter at the weeks ago, and told the manufacturer station house to be returned to the man that they were French government commissioners with an order for a cloth case man, and in any event he reflects credit in which to wrap the Eiffel tower in winter. They presented so many sealed documents and letters with the signatures of celebrated Frenchmen that the manufacturer swallowed their marvelous story and agreed to take the huge contract. The "commissioners" retioned, that of Lord Strathmore being quired from him \$1,200 as an earnest of his intention to turn out the tower's new clothes, and left him with directions that he should go to Paris at once to communicate further with the city officials and to measure the tower. He went, with several assistants who were to help him determine the details of the undertaking, and thereby spent \$300 more to learn that he had been swindled. -New York Sun.

> The Mother Died First. Tuesday there was a case before Judge Freeman in the probate court of a peculiar kind. Some weeks ago Mrs. Ellen O'Neil died intestate. At about the same time her new born child also-died. The question to be decided was whether the mother or the child died first. If the mother died first the child would have inherited her estate, and at the child's death its father would be its heir. If on the other hand, the child died first one-half of the estate would go to the brothers and sisters of Mrs. O'Neil, and the other to her husband. Judge Freeman gave his decision, which is that the mother died first. In accordance with this the estate goes to the father.—Hartford Courant.

> Summer Wear for Men. In town the straw hats will be worn with the tropical textures, for the cap would be out of harmony with the urban surroundings. Nor will the sash—with its dressified artificiality-be deemed in chime with the hurly burly of business activity. The waist belt might do. for it does not look so delicate. The flannel shirt is not the overhead garment of city wear, and a stiff collar upon it ont of town would be a combination warranting excoriation by all good men and true. The cheviot shirt in patterns to the taste and a wide cravat to tone therewith, seems to be the veriest inspiration of summer yogue in Gotham.-Clothier and Furnisher.

Poor, Indeed, but Rich in Dogs, One of the assessors relates an odd experience in Bucktown, near Indianapolis. He called at the house of an old woman, whose furniture was valued at fifty cents. Under the law he had to place the value at one dollar, which would make her tax a fraction over a cent. As he was about to leave the house he discovered that the old woman was the happy owner of six dogs, on which she was assessed eleven dollars .-Philadelphia Ledger.

A Steady Hand at Eighty. Mr. Rila Kittredge, the famous penman of this city, has recently received a number of books and a map of the United States from Vice President Morton in acknowledgment of some of Mr. Kittredge's fine work. Mr. Kittredge is soon to write on the back of a postal card the last address delivered by the late Secretary Windom.—Belfast (Me.) Age.

They Guyed Him, Frequently a man loses his life while The most utterly miserable man in risking it in the performance of a deed of the state of Minnesota is McHale, the bravery and daring, but it is seldom that anti-tights champion. Up to the time the senate passed his bill he had been life is sacrificed in the mere performance of a kind deed. But it is thought the left comparatively free from criticism. death of John N. Ames, formerly of He was rudely awakened the next morn-Camden, which occurred in Detroit reing to find that "the world had turned cently, was caused in this way. He took against him" in one night. a sick, friendless boy from the street into Then came the guying. He would his office, wrapped him in his own over-coat, and notified the authorities, who start for a drive, and find that some so-licitous friend had incased the legs of took the boy to the hospital, where he

the animal in old trousers. Did he go into a hotel restaurant or dining room, some wag would see to it that the bill of fare would read "frog's limbs" instead of frog's legs. He would order spring chicken, and the leg of the fowl would be wrapped in paper. Even the girls would giggle when they met him, and their dress to see it was not disarranged. and inucous surfaces of the systm. Then the old man's mail began to in Price, 75c per bottle. Sold by all Drug crease, until it seemed that everybody gists

in the United States had determined to take a crack at him.

The letters-many of them were abusive-made the old man wild. The writers called him by every name known, and some of them were addressed, "Old-Man-Ashamed-of-His-Shape McHale, "Nude-in-Art McHale," etc.—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

Poisoned by Centipede Venom. A family of six persons by the name of Boulding, moving by wagon from Tennessee to Texas, camped on the line of Baxter and Boone counties, in Arkansas, one night. They had coffee at supper, which was prepared in a tin vessel without a cover. Next morning Mrs. Boulding warmed over the coffee that had been left, of which she and two of

the children drank freely. Scarcely had the breakfast been finished when the entire party-father, mother and four children-were seized with the most excruciating pains. Their screams brought a neighbor to the rescue, who summoned a physician. When the doctor arrived the mother and two of the children were dead, and the other members of the family were only saved by the skill of the physician, who administered antidotes for poisoning. Examination of the coffee revealed the fact that a mountain centipede had crawled into the coffee pot during the

fast.-Cor. Memphis Appeal-Avalanche. After Many Years. In the year 1400, or thereabouts, workmen were employed to put choir stalls in Lincoln cathedral, England, and weretold in the early English vernacular of the day to hurry the job up, as several big functions were soon to come off. But lots of things happened; money got to be exceedingly scarce, and the men weren't paid very promptly. Although there were no Knights of Labor then, human nature was pretty much the same as it is now, and the men knocked off, remarking, "No pay, no work."

The clergy were so busy running the county political machine that they didn't have time to arrange the matter, and the finishing of the stalls was postponed from time to time until the present day. At last, however, dean and chapter think they see their way to complete this Fifteenth century job, and are calling for estimates from woodcarvers. England is a little slow, but she does get there after a few centuries .- New York Tribune.

The Germans and Parisian Society. French feeling against Germany runs very high at the present moment. A member of the German embassy in Paris, who was recently over here, complained bitterly of the social ostracism to which he and his colleagues are subjected at the hands of the most polite nation of Europe. No section of Parisian society asks them out except to purely official entertainments; they belong to no clubs, and would certainly be blackballed if they ventured to put up for any. The events connected with the unfortunate visit of the Empress Frederick, and the part the German embassy played in her ill advised expedition to Versailles, have, of course, embittered the social relations of French and Germans in Paris not a little.-Pall Mall

"Rats!" Lew Hayes, of Morgantown, W. Va., relates that a few days ago, while passing along the road near Collin's ferry, he noticed two large Norway rats going down a hill toward a stream, ca holding an end of a straw. When they reached the water's edge the foremost rat waded in, still leading its companion, which, when it reached the water, stopped and drank eagerly. When the thirsty animal had finished drinking the other turned, and with the straw still in its mouth led the way to the top of the bank. When they reached the road Hayes killed the led rat, and found that it was totally blind, its eyes being completely gone.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Four of a Family Buried Together, Four of the family of Adam H. Sconce, living about fifteen miles from Salem, Or., were buried side by side Sunday, all having died of la grippe. A young daughter died at 12 o'clock Friday night; at 1:20 her mother followed. The next night at 12 o'clock the father died, and at 1:20 o'clock his mother passed away.-San Francisco Bulletin.

The late Prince Jerome Napoleon, for various reasons always refused to be presented to ex-Premier Crispi, of Italy. By a strange decree of fate Crispi was one of the two witnesses to the official announcement of the prince's death.

Among the latest disinfectants is "lysol," which appears to be very much like carbolic acid; the emplsifying agen. is rosin or fat soap, tar acid being incorporated with the soap at the moment of saponification.

A London medical man says: "Be careful in your dealings with horseradish. It irritates the stomach far more than spice, and an overdose will bring on an unpleasant sensation for days."

---Frederick's Tall Regiment. Frederick the Great of Prussia formed a regiment of the tallest men he could procure, and insisted on their marrying the tallest women they could find, with a view of producing a giant race of guards; but in this he was unsuccessful. Voltaire says that these men were his greatest delight. Those who stood in the front rank were none of them

less than seven feet high, and he ran-

sacked Europe and Asia to add to their

number. There is a somewhat apocryphal story that Frederick was once reviewing his regiment of giants in the presence of the French, Spanish and English ambassadors, and that he asked each of these in turn whether an equal number of their countrymen would care to engage with such soldiers. The French and Spanish ambassadors politely replied in the negative; but the English ambassador replied that, while he could not venture to assert that an equal number of his countrymen would beat the giants, he was perfectly sure that half the number would try.-All the Year Round.

Luck in Orchids. The chance of finding a bit of superbum in a bundle of the ordinary kind lends peculiar excitement to a sale of these plants. Such luck first occurred to Mr. Bath in Stevens' auction rooms. He paid half a crown for a very weakly fragment, brought it round, flowered it and received a prize for good gardening in the shape of £72, cheerfully paid by Sir Trevor Lawrence for a plant unique at that time.-Long man's Magazine.

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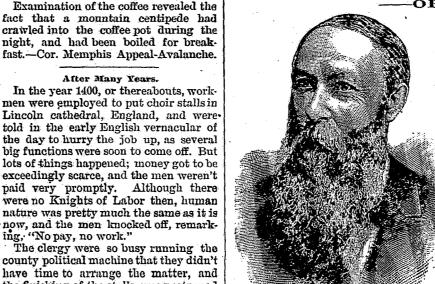
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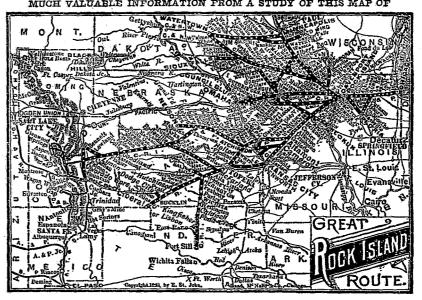
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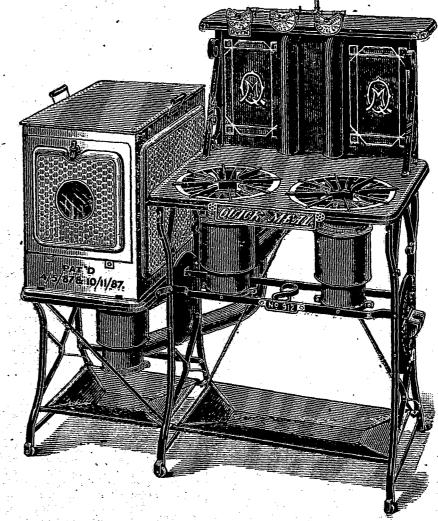
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