IRVING PAKK.

4. O. O. F.—Irving Park Lodge, No. 190, I. O. F. meets every Tuesday evening, in Masonic Hall, Irving Park, at 8 o'clock. All brothers are cordi-

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REFORMED CHURCH.—Rev. W. Hall Williamson, Pastor. Sunday school 12 m, B. M. Rice, Bup't., Services every Sunday at 10:40 A. M. and 7:30 y. M. Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, Sunday at 6:30 p.M. Prayer-meeting Wednesday, at 8 p. M. All seats are free

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Services (every Sunday, 10:45 a. m. Sunday School, 12:15 p. m. Rev. Archdescon Bishop in charge.

M. E. CHURCH.—SUNDAY SERVICE: Sunday School, 3:00 p. m.; Morning Service, 10:45; Class Meeting, 12:00 m.; Young People's Meeting, 7:00 a m. and Evening Service, 7:30. WEDNESDAY Pra, er Meeting, 8:00 p. m.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Worships in Masonic Hall, Rev. Joseph Rowley, Pastor; E. W. Moyle, Supt. S. S. Preaching 10:30 A. M., 7-30 P. M. Sunday school, 9:30 A. M. Prayer meeting Wednesday ovening, 8 P. M. All are welcome.

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Weddings, Parties, Families, Church Sociables, etc. supplied with fine Ice Cream Call and see Holmes before going to the city

NOTES FROM VARIOUS SOURCES.

Lester Van Ness is reported better this week.

Dr. Baker and family have moved to the Park.

Thos. Cushman's new residence is rapidly nearing completion.

The railroad company are distributing again. ties for the new tracks between Montrose and Chicago

For Sale. - My house, barn and lot. Barn suitable to remodel into a house. Willis

A new coal and lumber yard for Irving Park. The office was built peside the brick store this we k.

The brick store is having a new roof, and otherwise being improved from the effects of the late fire.

The losses were promptly and satisfactor adjusted and settled in the case of Court

Irvin, No. 45. \$300. VANTED .- A good, strong girl for general house work. Apply to Mrs. B. A. Lawrence, Norwood Park.

The regular Sunday services of the M. E. church will be held in Linwood Hall, until further notice is given.

The "observation social" held for the benefit of the M. E. Church, at the residence of W. E. Cummings, on St. Charles avenue last Thursday evening, was well attended and was, generally speaking, a suc-

The Easter Services tomorrow at St John's Episcopal church will be held in the afternoon, the regular service at 4 11; Ben Steingard, 22, o'clock, preceded at 3:30 by the Sunday School. Mr. Bowles will preach. All are cordially invited.

BAND ENTERTAINMENT. their first entertainment, to take place in Sunday. the new Club House on April 2nd. Everybody should attend and give the boys a helping hand, and otherwise encourage home talent. The following is the programme.

PART I.
Overture-Band Union. Band Southwell
Vocal Quartette-Sailors GleeLeslie
Minnie M. Thurston, Soprano. Ethel A. Holton,
Alto, Wm. Thrum ton. Tenor. A. N.
Hobart, Bases
Waltz-Forest Flower. Band Feagans
Gipsy Chorus from the Bohemian GirlBalfe
Band and Chorus.
Instrumental Quartette-CalendulaRipley
Frank Stokes, Bb cornet. J. S. Newton, Solo
alto, E. H. Wionie, Baritone, C. J.
Booth, Eb bass,
Soprano Solo-Ecstesy
Soprano Solo-Ecstasy
Elizabeth B. Beebe.
Cornet Solo-Warriors Dream
J. A. Kane, Band Accompaniment.
Tenor Solo-I Love TheeBuck
Geo. Roberts
Firemen's Polka -BandRipley
Vocal Duet-Nightengale and the Rose Glover
Minnie E. Thurston, Soprano. Ethel A.
Holton, Alto,
Tuba SoloSouthwell
C. J. Booth, Band accompaniment.
Baritone Solo-Across the Hille Chadwick
B. M. Rice.
Transfer of the second

Band and Chorus.

PART II.

Farce in one act, entitled "The Tramp Musi-Chas. Haas Few Clother, alias Signor Rignor Basso Pro Fundo. Bert Rice
Count Ten or Eleven E. W. Freeman
Detective P. Inkerten
Mrs. Chas. Good B. Nough Miss Edith Merchant
Ann E. Booney Miss H. A. Hobart

BOWMANVILLE.

Tickets 25 cents. Rereryed seats 35

There will be a Republican mass meeting at Brudy's Hall next Saturday evening All are invited. Good speakers will be in

Vick's Floral Guide for 1891.

No lover of a fine plant of Garden can afford to be without a copy. Is is an elegant book of over 100 pages 81/4 x 101/2 inches, beautiful colored illustrations of Sunrise Amazantnus, Hydrangea and Potatoes. Instructions for planting. cultivating, etc. Full list of everything that can be desired in the way of Vegetable and Flower Seeds, Plants, Bulbs, etc. Also full particulars regarding the cash prizes of \$1,000 and \$200. The novelties have been tested and found worthy os cultiva-

NORWOOD PARK.

AM ICAN RFOW CHU OH.—Services at 11 A.

M. Sunday School at 12:30. Prayer Meeting
Wednesday evening at 8 P. M. Rev. J. S. Joralmon, Pastor. N. H. Bates, Supt. of Sunday school

ST. ALBANS EMISCOPAL CHU CH.—Sunday Services at 2 P. M. Mr. Richmond, Pastor. G. R. Sucke, Sup. S. day school. GRMAN EVANGE ACAL CHURCH. Services at 9:45 A.M. Sunday school at 11 A.M. Rev. Geo. Eich-enlaub, Pastor. Henry Blume, Supt. of Sunday

BEACON LIGHT LODGE, F. A. & A. M.—B. Law-rence, W. M.; F. G. Barnard, S. W.; H. A. Van Harlinger, J. M.; A. G. Low, Treas.; J. Walmsly, Sec'y; C. J. DeBerard, S. D.; E. B. Halladay, J. D.; F. A. Rich, S. S.; N. H. Bates, J. S.

VILLAGE OFFICE S.—C. J. DeBerard, F. A. Rich. B. A. Lawrence, J. H. Brown, J. B. Foot, Geo, Cady, Trustees. H. A. Donaldson Clerk, F. M. Fox Treasurer, D. M. Ball Attorney, F. B. Norton Supt. Water Works.

POST OFFICE H. A. Donaldson & Co.'s store. H. A. Donaldson, P. M. Mails arrive, 8:15 and 9:33 A. M., 6:15 P. m.; leaving at 7:41 and 9:33 A. M., 6:20 P. M.

NORWOOD PARK HALL COMPANY. — Meeting of Boald of Directors first Saturday of each month at Hall.

FRANK A. CLEAVELAND, Pres.

JACOB ECKOFF, Treas.

JAS. WALMSLEY, Sec'y.

The dancing class is a great success.

House for sale or rent. O. W. Flanders. Mr. Chas, Eckert has moved into his The Political Pot is getting warmer and

will soon be boiling. Rev. Mr. Beach will preach at the Hall

on Sunday evening. The family of John Hinckley are quite ill, some seriously.

For Sale.—A good modern house in good location. O. W. Flanders.

Mrs. A. G. Low has so far recovered that she is able to be out again. Parties are looking for choice lots upon which to build the coming season.

La Grippe is a persistent solicitor in our village and has many under control. The Senate met this morning, all mem-

bers present with the exception of the Mr. B. L. Anderson has so far recovered that he is able to attend to business

Dr. Hughes is pressed with business attending the sick in this and adjoining

Mr. Robert Orr was out Wednesday for the first time for several weeks, and is slowly improving.

For Rent.—A good 7 room house in complete order at a moderate rent. Inquire of O. W. Flanders.

evening, at the Hall.

WANTED .- A good, strong girl for Lawrence, Norwood Park.

Mrs. B. A. mother of Wm. H., Geo. Sill and Sam Martha Welles, of Chicago, and Mrs. W

can be accommodated on very favorable terms by communicating with the Station

Mrs. Winchell is somewhat improving ind hopes are entertained that she may recover. The other members of the family are much better.

Result of votes for Village Clerk at primary on Tuesday evening, as follows: F. L. Cleaveland, 6; Alex. Christopherson, not interfere with my daily work in

Services will be held in St Alban's church on Good Friday evening at 8 o'clock and on Easter day at 5:15 p. m. Sunday School Festival on Easter day at 4:15 p. m. The band have their programme out for instead of 3 p. m. as announced on last

A large and enthusiastic caucus was held by the Progre sive Party on Tuesday evening, at the Hall, for the purpose of nominating candidates for the several offices, to be filled on the village Board at the com-... Southwell ing election which will be held on Tuesday, March 21st, with the following result: For President of Board of Trustees, C. J. Deberard; for Tru tees. Otto Hoffmann. B. A. Lawrence, John G. McMillen, and for Village Clerk. Ben Steingard.

DUNNING.

Matthew Ferguson, a young man living at 118 West Jackson street, went to the county infirmary at Dunning vesterday to terialize, although there was a good visit his brother. Terrence, who was admitted to the institution as a patient several weeks ago. To the young man's horeast to the chair and Capt. Stanton acted in capacity of Secretary. For the office ror he was informed that Terrence was Road commissioner two names were dead and that the body had been turned in nomination. John Bito, from the over to a medical college at 59 Third ave- end, and Henry Diesness, the p nue. Matthew hurried to the Harrison Park Ridge street commissioner. Street Police Station, told his story, and former received about 65 votes then, in company with an officer, went to opponents 35. For the office of the college to claim the body. "I don't know," said Dr. Stewart, "whether we majority of all the votes cast. Con have your brother's body or not. If it is J. F. Dittman was in favor of nomin here it came to us in the regular distribu- a full ticket then and there; but Col. tion and the Dunning authorities are to blame, and you must look to them for redress. Even if it was here, we wouldn't Thus ended the mass meeting of city give it to you to-night. Call around some time to-morrow and we'll see what can be done for you," and the doctor ushered his visitor out. Young Ferguson said last night that, although he was poor and had but little money, he was able to send his brother's body to Lockport, N. Y., where his relatives would see that it was decently interred. "I will have my brother's body." he said as he left the officer, "If I have to take it in pieces, and I will find out by what authority it was given to the medical college when the Dunning officials knew that my brother had both friends and relatives living in the city. I called to see him every week. Wednesday his brother's body was given to Mr. Ferguson. The young man was highly indignant at the disposal of his brother's remains, and asserts that he will look into the manner in which the body found its way into into a dissecting room.

IN THE EASTER NUMBER

tion. We hope it will be our good luck to of the New York Ledger, issued March Simpson. Also the following see the Nellie Lewis Carnation and taste 21, Mrs. Amelia Barr starts "A Sister to guosts: Messrs. August Knock the Grand Rapids Lettuce. It costs nothing because the 10 cents you send for it can be deducted from the first arder forwarded. We advise our friends to secure a copy of James Vick, Seedeman, Rochester, N. Y.

21, Mrs. Amelia Barr starts "A Sister to guests: Messrs. August Knockennus, of which was sumcient to support them continued to support them contin

PARK

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Congregational Churc Pastor; David P. School. Sunday servic m. Sunday School, at m Wednesday evening, at of the Church. Young tian Endeavor, Sunday son. Sup mday at ol 11:45 evening METHODIST EPISCOPAL (ter. Pastor: J. C. Jo School. Services every 7:30 p. m. Sabbath School Meeting on Wednesd League meeting Sunday

ICERS VILLAGE

> PAST V NEWS OF THE

Capt. and Mrs. Bla have g York city.

Mr. and Mrs. Maclagun have ing the present week in Elgin. Mrs. Ross Wallace vas a gue sister, Mrs. A. R. Moia, on Sat

Mr. S. W. Robinson has some

The chances are now that the town election will be a somewhat

For Sale.—No. 9 wood stove, in shape at a bargain. Apply to Blaikie, Park Ridge, II.

The doctors are not al vays bodly ailments, and this time Bellows. Easter services will be appropriate

served in both churches tomerrow,

For Rent.-From May 1st, at room house with all modern improved in fine location, and nearly new.

to G. A. Blaikie, Park Ridge, Ill. Messrs. Buettner and Weinhover Park Ridge Florists, shipped a car loa flowers to the city on Tuesday which a be used for decoration purposes; tomor Easter Sunday. They were mostly in

ful to look upon, Died at Park Ridge. Ill., March 1 1891. Sarah Griswold Sill, wife of Alf L. Welles, formerly of Utica, N. Y. as 81 years. Mrs. Welles was born in Lyn Connecticut, in 1809, in the family hou Rev. Mr. Traveller, Sup't of Missions, preached to a large audience on Sunday father in 1676, and occupied by the family continously since that time. She was woman of indomitable will, strong of ne

and the variety was large and were beat

Burt of Evanston. Ill., Mrs. S. T. Peck-Parties in want of homes of their own ham, of Utica, N. Y. and Mrs. E. Francis of Pittsfield, Mass.

> Спісаво, Маген 25, 1891 To the Committee on Political Action, a pointed at the Mass Meeting of Citize heid in the Second Precinct, Town

Gentlemen: In accepting the nomin rion for Town Clerk, I was given to under-stand that the duties of that office would d city, but upon investigation I find the would compel me to be absent from regular employment during many days the course of the year. While I am sirous af doing all in my power to advathe interests of Park Ridge, I cannot ne lect the duties of the position by which i livelihood is gained. In consideration the foregoing, I must decline to make race, and in doing so take the opportun th thank the citizens of this precinct their confidence and esteem, and to assi them I fully appreciate the same.

Very Respectfully, F. W. McNALL

The much heralded mass meeting Saturday evening, the object being to over the coming Town of Maine elect and if possible, to nominate a full tie Owing to the wretched condition of roads, the prevalence of La Grippe gether with the indifference of many tremendous crowd expected, failed to

THE ANDERSON LITERARY SOCIET The Anderson Literary Society their first reception Friday evening. 20th, at Sokup's Hall. Dancing w principal feature of the evening. T y was opened by a grand march President Master Wm. Knockenmi Secretary Miss Dollie Figg, being a by Master Rudolph Hansen and Miss Sumber. One of the enjoyable feat the evening was a vocal solo by I Pribyl, and in response to a very vi encore sang another selection. the members and some invited gues in attendance, among whom were towing members: Masters Wm. enmus, Rudolph Hansen, Herman Andrelw Belz, Willie Blegen, Paul Harry Klebo, Oscar Olson, Abraha galski. Misses Dollie Figg. Erna 7 May Hansen, Martha Bramman, Fougner, Carrie Gernhart, Hattie Juliette Pribyl, Stella Stanbush

DES PLAINES.

derhodist Episcopal C hu ch—Rev. J. H. Hag-gerly, Pastor; John Bailey, Supt. Sunday School-Sunday services at 10:30 a. m. and 7 p. m. Sun-day school at 12 m. Prayer meeting on Wednes-day evening. Young Peoples' meeting Sunday evening at 6:15.

CONGEGATIONAL CAUCH—Rev. Heber Gill, Pastor; Mrs. H. H. Talcott, Sunday school Supt. Preaching Sunday morning at 10:30, and in the evening at 7 o'clock. Sunday school at noon. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening.

day services at 10 a. m., followed by Sunday school at 11:30.

r. Mary's Church—Rev. J. B. Bourassa, Pastor. Services at 10:30 Sunday morning. Sunday school at 12 m. Investigate Park Ridge locals.

Mr. Murdoch has his new house en It was confirmation day at the Lutheran

hurch last Sunday. Henry Fritz had an attack of grip last ek, but is now better.

The C. & N. W. will soon have a double ack from this place to Barrington.

Mrs. M. Thill and her two youngest aughters returned from their eastern visit ast Saturday. WANTED .- A good, strong girl for gen-

ral house work. Apply to Mrs. B. A. awrence, Norwood Park. Mr. E. C. Schaefer has secured a posi-

tion in the County Treasurer's office, and vill commence work the first of April. August Fritz is learning the plumber's ade in the city. August has struck a

onanza this time. He is on the sure road wealth. For Rent .- The two story brick build-

ng on the north side, used as a drug store nd residence. Inquire of C. E. Bennett, es Plaines. Their are four Village Trustees to be

lected this spring; one to fill vacancy to ake the place of Trustee Thill, who has tely resigned. Dr. Stone's wife and child have been

aving an attack of grip. B. F. Kinder also afflicted with the aches and pains eculiar to that complaint.

The usual Easter services will be held ext Sunday morning in the Methodist aurch. In the evening there will be ncert exercises, in which the Sunday

Mr. C. Jones had a sudden attack of umonia last Saturday afternoon, and been confined to his bed eyer since. Jones had an attack of the same disabout a year ago which lasted several visited friends here Sunday.

m. Boesch, a retired farmer liv- Monday, March 16th, a girl. on the Higgins road, had a narrow e from being killed by a burglar daughter, Mrs. Wm, Young. night last week. Hearing a noise

the cause and found two outside wide open, but the intruder had disared. After dressing himself he ight he would walk over to his son' near by, and see if things were all there On nearing the house he disred a light in the cellar, and readily fuding that it was the work of a bur-, hastily shut down the outside cellar and planted his weight firmly upon the same time calling loodly to the ly for help. The burgiar finding himcaught, fiired two shots through the which luckily missed the mark inled. He then succeeded in forcing the open far enough to get his hand ough, when he fired another shot at the gentleman, this time the ball grazing back of his hand, inflicting a slight und. The villain then ran away, firing other shot as he retreated, which did no rm. The members of the family were wakened until they heard the shots om the revolver.

HERMOSA.

What's the matter with Conway? He's

Henry W. Ames is putting up forty new Shorty, the barber, has been laid up for

week past. Mrs. J. D. Carter has recovered from he la grippe.

Mrs. John Heavey has been laid up with a bad cold.

James Vannatta's daughter, Edna, is reported to have the measles.

The Standard Motor Works will open next Monday with a force of 200. Thos. Teagarden has been ill for several

reeks, but is now able to be out. Frank Breit has completed the addition to his hotel, which gives him fourteen new

Mr. D. F. Keller and Miss Jennie Rose

will be united in marriage, Wednesday, April 1st. The McDonald's are having more sickess in their family, a young son has the mer.

Fred Dempsey has left Hermosa, for the ity, where he will open a meat market at Lake and Ashland avenues.

The Ladies' Aid of the M. E. society wave a sociable on the 20th, which was pens well attended. The supper was good, but pay, adies, where did you get the meat? Mrs. inney, who is stopping with her sister, liss Miller, gave two recitations, which were heartily received.

A cloud of sadness was cast over town he sudden death of Mr. Henry A. Sears, Rock Island, Ills. He embarked with is few cattle and his household goods on he 10th inst, and after a three days journey arrived at his brother's where he died. His farm was mortgaged, together with mpliments for about \$4000.00, but this as to raise the first year's crop on as he had two houses in Rock Island, the income of which was sufficient to support them

BARRINGTON.

REVIEW.

CHURCH AND SOCIETY NOTICES. of V.—meet at Colburn's hall, third Tuesday of each month. F. O. \Vilimarth, Captain; Albert Ulitsch, First Sergeart.

BAPTIST CHURCH—Mr. Henry, Pastor, Services every Sunday at 10:30 a.m. Evening services at 7:30 p.m. Sabbath School 12 m.

r. Ann's Catholic Church —Rev. E. A. Goulet, Pastor. Services every other Sunday at 9 o'clock

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH—Rev. Wm. Clark, Pastor. Services every Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sabbath school at 12 m. Class meeting ERMAN EVANGELICAL CHURCH—Rev. A. Schuester

astor. Services every Sunday at 10:30 A. M. Evening service at 7:30 P. M. Sabbath school at GERMAN EVANGELICAL ST. PAUL'S CHURCH-ROV.

LOUNSBURY LODGE, No. 751,—meets a their hall the second and fourth Saturdays of each month. C. H. Austin, W. M.; A. Gleason, S. W.; C. H. Lines, J. W.; H. T. Abbott, Treas.; F. O. Willmarth, Sec.; L. A. Powers, S. D.; Albert Ulitsch, J. D.; Stewart Miller, T.

BARRINGTON POST, No. 275, G. A. R. Department of ill.—meet every second Friday in the month, at Colburn's Hall. F. J. Buck, Commander; R. Purcell. S. V. C.; Fred Weisman, J. V. C.; L. Krahn, S.; Stewart Miller, Chaplain; A. Gleason, Q. M.; A. S. Henderson D.; C. G. Senn, O. G.

W. R. C., No. 85—meet the second and fourth Wed-nesday of each month. Mrs. B. Lombard, Pres. Miss R. Brockway, Sec.

M. W. A., No. 809—meet first and third Saturday of each month, at Lamey's Hall. D. A. Smith, V. C.; John Robertson, W.A.; C. H. Kendall, E. B.; C. H. Austin, Clerk; H. K. Brockway, E.; Fred. Kirschner, W.; Wm. Antholtz, S.

Ladies' spring Jackets at A. H. Reese. Born-To Mrs. Edson Harnden, a daugh-Rev. Wm. Clark, of McHenry, was here

Highest price paid for eggs at A. H.

Robert and Daniel Deill, of Elgin, were

here last week. at Mr. Sprigg's.

Mr. Francis, of Janesville, called on M. T. Lamey Monday. Mr. and Mrs. W. Teese visited at Mr. J.

C. Plagge's Sunday. Mr. J. Willson, of Palatine, called on friends here Tuesday. Mr. John Clark, of Floyd, Iowa, visited

Mr. S. Clark last week. Misses Gouchey and Downing will board at the Vermilya House.

Miss Laura Church, of Barrington Center Born-To Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Meier, on

Mrs. Catlow, of Chicago, is visiting her

beaded wraps at A. H. Reese.

man Evangelical church Sunday.

Dr. Roberts, of Wisconsin, made Barrington friends a visit last week. Presiding Elder Heuster was at the Ger-

Mrs. Lowell, of Jefferson Park, was the guest of Mrs. C. H. Austin, last week. Miss Lucy Brockett, of Chicago, is the

guest of her sister, Mrs. Chas. Lederle. For Sale or Rent-C. J. Dodge's house. Inquire of M. W. Dodge, Barringtin, Ill.

Rev. Henshawe, of Chicago, preached at the Baptist Church last Sunday morning. A real estate agent was here leoking after property for Chicago parties this

Mr. Peter Harrower, and Miss Eliza Murrie visited at Milburn Saturday and

Dr. and Mrs. Geo. Ashby, of Chicago, were guests recently of Miss Mamie Presiding Elder Haight will preach a

sermon at the M. E. church next Sunday to get on with team. Miss Hattie Houghtaling has been spending a short time at her home near

Invitations are out for the marriage of Dr. D. H. Richardson to Miss Emma

Roy Peck, who is attending school at Wheaton, has been home on a visit for a There will be an Easter concert at the M. E. church next Sunday evening given

by the Sunday school. Mr. and Mrs. James Goodhue, of Rockford, Ill., were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Howarth this week.

Mr. A. H. Boehmer is putting in a new engine and boiler in his creamery, four miles south of Barrington.

Mr. James Sizer was called to Chicago Tuesday noon on account of the serious illness of her brother, Dwight Hawley. Mrs. J. K. Bennett moved to Fox Lake.

club house there during the coming sum-Miss Jennie Crowley went to Chicago Tuesday to attend commercement exercises of the Dental Class at Central Music

Thursday of last week. She will run a

Mr. J. Lawrence: of Aurora. /a former resident of this place, has been allowed a pension of \$30 per month and \$1914 back

Geo. W. Nightengale, John. Robert Bertha and Anna Go'den were taken in full connection with the M. E. Church last

Mr. J. W. Kingstev is making preparaast Saturday by a telegram announcing tions to build his new house, and will improvements. Also 600 acres farming commence on the foundation as soon as the weather permits. Mr. J. W. Kingsley has commenced ex-

cavating for the foundation of his new house which will be built opposite Mr. H. A. Harnden's residence. We have received a copy of The American Farm News. It is a monthly Journal devoted to farming and manufacturing,

Died-March 16th, 1891, R. T. Tracy, For price, terms etc., apply to

interred in the cemetery, two miles north of Barrington.

Some of the young boys seem to take particular delight in molesting one of our merchants. While we do like to see bays enjoy themselves, there is sach a thing as going too far with fun, and we think this they have done.

The young men of Barrington will give a grand ball at Lamey's hall, Wednesday evening. April 1st, 1891. Music will be furnished by Leone Bros., of Chicago. Tickets 75 cents; supper extra. All are cordially invited to attend.

Among those on the sick list are, Mrs. D Holmes, Grandma Castle, Mr. L. D. Castle, Mr. S. Peck, Mrs. Shubal Kingsley, Mrs. C. Lombard, Mrs. L. Colburn, Mrs. Freeman, Mrs. L. H Higley, Miss Cora Higley and Mr. J. Lawrence.

The members of the Baptist Church and congregation desire to thank most earnestly The Galaxy for all the beautiful and useful articles they have provided in the repairing of the Church, such as the chandelier, lamps and the pulpit and other furniture.

Died-Saturday morning. March 22d. 1891, at her home, Mrs. Wm. Weister. Age, 64 years, 3 months and 2 days. She was born at Arnemuller. Hanover, Germany, December 20th, 1826. She leaves a husband, six children and a sister to mourn her loss. She has been an invalid for 8 years. The funeral occurred Wednesday, Rev. E. Rahn officiating.

The following are the names of those confirmed at the Lutheran Church last Sun'ay: Edward Pederson, Herman Mueller, Fred Krueger, John Mueller, Herman Niss, Henry Rahlmeier, Herman Kaffen. Henry Buesching, Herman Miclow, Emma Rochow, Hannah Mueller, Arnie Ebel, Mionie Brasel, Annie Mueller, Minnie Mewes, Minnie Hertz and Ida Hackemeier.

George Schultz and Joseph Hass were placed under arrest Wednesday of last week. They had the extreme pleasure of Mrs. Geo. Ashby, of Chicago, is visiting spending a night in our cooler. Thursday they were brought before Police Magistrate Bute, and Mr. Schultz was fined \$5 and costs for disorderly conduct, and Mr. Hass was fined \$3 and costs for being drunk. It sometimes proves expensive to have a big time.

PALATINE.

GLEANINGS ABOUT TOWN.

CHURCH AND SOCIETYNOTICES.

ferhodist Episcopal Church—Rev. M. H. Plumb, Pastor; E. F. Baker, Superintendent, F. J. Filbert, Ass't Superintendent of Sunday School. Services every Sunday at 11 o'clock A. M., and 7 P. M. Sabbath School at 10 o'clock A. M. Prayer meeting on Wednesday evening. Epworth League meeting Sunday evening at 6:40. Everybody welzome. body welcome.

SAINT PAUL EVANGELICAL CHURCH—Rev. J. A. Bodeck, pastor. Services every Sunday morning

ANGELICAL LUTHERAN IMMANUEL'S CHURCH— Rev. Adolf Pfotenhauer, pastor. Services every Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.

PALATINE LODGE, No. 314, A. F. & A. M.—Meetson the first and third Saturday of each month. Visitors always welcome.

C. S. CUTTING, W. M.
F. J. FILBERT, Sec'y.

PALATINE LODGE, No. 708, L.O. O. F.—Meets every Wednesday. Visiting brothers cordially invited. E. F. Baken, N. G. H. L. Merrill, Sec'y. JOHN A. LOGAN LODGE, NO. 152, L.O. M. A. Meets in Odd Fellows' Hallron second and fourth Satur-day of each month. Members of the Order always

M. A. STAPLES, Pres. C. E. JULIAN, Sec'y. Perseverence Lodge, No. 41, I. O. G. T.—Meets in Odd Fellows' Hall, on the first and third Tues-

MISS LENA ANDERMAN, C. T.

MISS V. A. LAMBERT, Sec'y. E. F. Baker, Lodge Deputy Mrs. Tracey, wife of R. W. Tracey, who lied last week, is reported to be quite sick

with the grippe. Farmers are putting in wheat and oats on high ground, which is sufficiently dry

Mr. Silas Robertson, who has been laid up with with "grippe," has so far improved to be out again.

Easter exercises at the M. E. Church tomorrow (Sunday) morning at 11 o'clock.

Mr. James Wilson and family, who have

been spending the winter in Arizona, re-

Mr. Chas. Patten who has been very

sick with a complication of grippe and fe-

ver, is convalescing.

turned home last Monday. Prof. H. H. L. Merrill, of the High School Department, has been confined to the house for several days this week with the grippe.

To the Ladies—Have you been to see those beautiful Easter bonnets and bats at Mrs. Kimmets; if not, go at once before they are all gone. Butter was in moderate demand on the Elgin Board of Trade Monday. Prices

ranged from 29 to 30 cents and the total sales were \$10,689. A year ago the price If you have any property you want to sell, or if you want to buy, call on F. J. Filbert, Real Estate Agent, office at his residence. City office, Room 65 Commermercial National bank building, 175

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NEWS OF THE WEEK

Charles City, Iows, to which place it was recently voted by the board of trustees to move the German-English college in Galena, is unable to raise the bonus of \$30,000 which was offered. It is now thought that the college will go to Storm Lake, Iowa.

William M. Moore, a wealthy farmer living near Vienna, Ohio, was shot and killed Ly his son Oscar. Oscar claims the shooting was in self defense.

Herman Bodes, 40 years of age, bookkeeper in the oleomargarine factory at Providence. R. I., which was seized by revenue officers last week, committed sui-

William C. Blinn in attempting to board a street car at Rockford, Ill., lost his footing and fell in front of the car. He

considered fatal. Six convicts escaped from a work gang pay. near Jackson, Miss.

At Vicksburg, Miss., Ernest Hardenstein was killed by J. G. Cashment in a quarrel over the New Orleans lynching. Both were newspaper men.

Hugh C. Miller, 22 years old, has been arrested for setting fire to nymerous tenement houses in Brookly during the past six weeks. Being confronted with evidence of his guilt he made a full confes-

The California Athletic club has offered to buy La Blanche a railroad ticket to the East. It also offers \$3,000 for a fight between Dixon and McCarthy.

Charles F. Smith of Chillicothe, Mo. beat his 5-year-old step-son so badly that the boy die l. Smith escaped just in time to avoid being lynched.

A wreck occurred last evening on the Valley road near Rosedale, Miss. The engine and baggage car both turned over him. and Engineer Frank Broagan and the colored fireman were both killed.

David Lilly, charged with causing the Holmesville, Neb., in December last, has been acquitted.

An attempt was made to cremat: alive 100 persons by setting fire to a tenement bouse in New York.

A freight train on the Chesapeake & Ohio road struck a cow at St. Elmo, Tenn, and was thrown from the track. Two tramps were killed and trakeman James Smith in ured. The train was completely wrecked.

The president of Chili has given a gratuity equal to a years' pay to all the officers of the navy of that republic who refused to join with their comrades in the revolution.

Thomas Fleming, proprietor of a North Indianapolis roadhouse, died recently, and the death return designated delirium hither and thither in their efforts to tremens as the cause. It is now ascertained that he was struck on the head died as a result of the blow.

At the conference of the grievance committee representing the 1 rotherhood of Railway Condu tors and Ass stant General Manager Smith of the Missouri Pacific railr ad, which has been in session at St. Louis the last week, an agreed statement of the facts in regard to the dismissal of a conductor was drawn and signed by both parties to the conference and sent to General Manager Clark for a decision.

M. Rouvier, the French minister of foreign affairs, has introduced a bill which proposes a reduction of the tax of wines, ciders, and beers. M. Rouvier proposes to meet this reduction, estimated to amount to about 79,000.000 francs, by raising the surtax on alcohol from 156 to 193 francs per bectolitre (nearly 261/2 gallons) wine measure.

The German government continues its efforts to draw Italy into a European zoliverein against the protectionist States. In the present state of Italian politics and finances, however, that go ernment hesi in President Harritates to respond to Germany's offers, being doubtful of the wisdom of sacrificing that which occurred her trade with France and America which, through the death of in 1883, amounted to \$5,000,00, for the constantly declining trade of Germany The news will be a and Austria, which amounted to only great surprise to the \$35,000,00).

The new Holmes block, the fnest in Detroit Minn., burned. It is thought a narrow circle. Mr. it was the work of an incendiary. Loss, Proctor bas had had \$48,000. 1 Lawrence Barrett. the tragedian, is

time before he died.

The Territorial encampment of New Mexico, Grand Army of the Republic, meets at Deming and will be in session about three days.

A man giving his name as C. L. Blazer was arrested at Salt Lake City for attempting to conduct extensive swindling operations.

The noted divorce case of Laura R. Green against Douglas Green was begun in New York.

The grip was reported epidemic in Pittsburg, 4,000 persons being sick with the

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L. T. Morris recovered \$1,000 for false arrest by a Chicago detective agency. Great preparations are being made at Grasse for Queen Victoria's annual visit

thither. Detective D. C. O'Malley, who is charged with having briled the Hennessy jury,

Bishop Leonard of Cleveland says the Rev. Howard MacQueary will not be per-

be dismissed. Robert L. Skillman, the Louisville (Ky.) salesman shot by Lambert Goldsmith of the same city one week ago is dead.

The new dog law passed by the Indiana Legislature is causing considerable trouble. Attorney-General Smith states that assesso s must be controlled by section 1 of the act of March 7, 18 8.

Ike Allen cut John Weatherford's throat at a dance at Mos uito, Texas, and Weatherford's brother Bud shot and killed Allen. The participants in this little social event were all young farmers. 6 In a two-ounce glove contest near Harrisburg, Pa., Jim Daly stood up before Joe through the head five times with a Win-McAuliffe the required six rounds for a chester rifle by M. Ennis and instantly

Details of a sensational episode at the Chicago Auditorium have just become public. A wealthy New Yorker, incited by jea'ousy and rage, attempted to murder his wife, but was prevented. He then took revenge by abducting their only

The failure of the Kansas Legislature to appropriate money for a State exhibit at the world's fair has led to a movement to raise by private subscribtion the funds requisite to give that State a creditable representation.

The Canadian Pacific company's iron steamer Batavia is aground in the Columbia river, near Tongue Point.

The Olympic club of New Orleans has offered a purse of \$5,000 to McAuliffe and Myer for a glove contest to take place in about six weeks, McAuliffe to answer within four days.

Ex-Senator Ingalis' interviews in the East regarding the Farmers' alliance are embarrassing Kansas Republicans, and they are gnashing their teeth at their for-

Pearl Starr. daughter of the notorious Belle Starr and reputed daughter of the equally notorious Cole Younger, in connection with a young man stole two fine horses from a farmer near St. Joe, twenty miles west of Gainesville, Texas. Officers are in pursuit.

The Union Pacific road has granted was badly hurt, though his injuries are not | concessions to its dissatisfied employes which will insure their receiving better

> The Oxford boat crew was the favorite 11 to 4 in its coming race with the Cambridge's eight.

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A bannana train on the Illinois Central was wrecked near Kankakee, Ill., and thirteen cars of fruit were derailed. The loss is about \$20.000.

The Modock Democratice Tariff-Reform Club of Keokuk, Iowa, sent silver, medals to Dr. Moore and Mr. Cockrell, the two Independent members of the Illinois Legislature who voted for Senator Palmer for United States Senator.

Al Johnson of baseball fame is again up in arms against the league, claiming its officers have acted in bad faith toward

The will of Baroness Fahnenberg, making provision for a charitable institution at Lexington, Ky., has been upbeld by the wreck of the Union Pacific train at Kentucky courts after many years of litigation on the part of the Baroness' rela-

Pittsburg has 1,000 cases of grip Street-car companies and large offices ar.

DEATH AND PANIC IN A FIRE. Blaze in a New York Tenement House Occupied by Twenty-Two Families.

In New York City two lives were lost and twenty-two families made homeless by a fire which gutted the six-story double tenement at 215 East Twenty-ninth street. The dead are Peter Cryan, aged 50, and his sister, Mary Cryan, aged : 5.

Fright and confusion prevailed among the tenants in the house, who ran blindly escape.

The fire was extinguished about 9 p. m. and then Battalion Chief Fisher and Capt. Nugent began to search the rooms in the burned building, and on the top floor they found the two bodies. Death was caused by suffocation. From the agonized expression on both faces it was evident that death was attended with the greatest torture. The bodies were carried out on the street and in a wagon to the morgue, where they were placed in pine coffins beside that of Wright, the Astor house suicide.

Mrs. Mary Reilly in trying to get out had her limbs slightly burned and was driven back. The cause of the fire is not known. The loss is \$5,500.

PROCTOR WILL RESIGN. He Is Tired of the Post of Secretary

of War. A Washington special says: Secretary Redfield Proctor is going to resign from

the War department. His resignation will make the first break son's Cabinet except Secretary Windom. count y and to official people outside of

enough of Cabinet SECRETARY PROCTOR life. His distaste for more of it was indead. The demise was due to heart failure. timated when he made known to the The actor was unconscious but a short Fresident that he did not care to be transferred to the Treasury department. His willingness to quit has been emphasized since Congress adjourned. He is not going out of politics entirely, for in due time it is expected he will come to the Senate from Vermont.

THIRTY YEARS FOR MURDER.

Young Murderers at Oquawka, Ill. Sentenced for That Term.

Barnum and William Brown were sen tenced to thirty years in the penitentiary for the murder of their brother-in law, George Holly, at Harper's Mills. Henderson county, Ill, Dec. 1, 1890. Holly had ill-treated his wife, it was claimed she finally left him, and going to num and William Brown, to go back for her things. Barnum took his shotgun and the boys started for Holly's house. Upon their arrival Holly ordered them off his premises and attacked them with an axe. Barnum, a young man of 0, then deliberately discharged his gun into Holly's breast killing him instantly. The boys came to Oquawka and gave themselves up, claiming the deed was done in self-defense. The trial lasted nearly two weeks. The main evidence for the State was given by a young boy named mitted to resign—that he must retract or | Olaf Brown, who was an eye witness of the tragedy unknown to the perpetrators

> Two Passenger Coaches Burned. Anderson, Ind , telegram: Two passenger coaches belonging to the Cincinnati, Wabash & Michigan railroad were entirely destroyed by fire this morning in the yard at this city. The hostler, after

> lighting the lamps in the cars, went away for a few moments. When he returned he found that a lamp had exploded and both coaches were in flames. They Quarreled About a Bog. In a quarrel over a dog at Milledgeville, Florida, Joe Tucker was shot

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The Terrible ter Declared to om an Accident Have Rest eign News.

Gibralter At the inquest of the second of bodies recovered from the wre eamer Utopia Capt. ed the following McKeague statement: rounding Europa the usual anchorage Point I head peed. Two minutes and ordered later I order and I stopped the opa Point and new uddenly sighted the engines betw Mole Head. nd observed the anman-of-war (chorage crow other ships. I immediately st d the helm, there being a heavy tremely strong tide. ad half cleared the When the U bow of the ported the helm in order to bri Utopia's stern out, but on account strong current the Utopia was un clear the Anson's ram. Owing thickness of the weather I coul lculate precisely the fore-deek and iglength of the nored the ram. not know the fleet was in the bay. roper lookout, consisting of the m six men, was kept but nobody saw dition of the an rlew and the conuntil the helm was starboarded. unable to anchor behind the rock we were running short of coal in quence of heavy weather on the

The coroner pe the attorney to address the jury McKeague. The jury, consisting d y-three members, unanimously deci t the cause of the disaster was accid

d that it was The first officer difficu't position th mer was placed in, and that any of lternatives would have been attended difficulty owing to the weather and ea. Both he and ated the captain's the third officer cor

statement and justice the course he took as the best that course bettaken.

One hundred bodies were recovered. The relief committee has collected a sum of money for the survivors, 132 of whom have returned to Naples on board the Assyria.

PRINCE NAPOLEON BURIED.

The Body Interred With Catholic Rites at Turin. The body of Prince Napoleon arrived at



PRINCE NAPOLEON ("PLON-PLON.") thilde, Princess Letitia, and Prince Victor. They were met at the station by the Duke of Genoa, Count Turin, and a large body of court officials. The body was pla ed on a gun-carriage, heavily draped, and, escorted by a battalion of infantry as a guard of honor, with the band playing dirges, and a line of forty coaches carrying the distinguished company, was conveyed to the church of La Superga, where solemn mass was celebrated. At its conclusion the cortege was again formed and made its way to the cemetery known as "Calvary," where the body was deposited with the services of the Roman Catholic church in a special vault. The utinost respect was shown by the population of Turin to the funeral party and decorations were observed in some quarters. Prince Jerome's will has been made public. It constitutes Prince Louis the universal legatee and his successor. He is also directed to supervise the funeral arrangements. Princess Letitia is given an equal share with her brothers in the estate. Prince Victor is not mentioned in the will.

STAND BY TARIFF REFORM.

Ex-President Cleveland Says It Is the One Great Issue of the Day. Ex-President Cleveland sent a letter to the Indiana Tariff Reform league declining to be present at the league's annual meeting. The full text of the letter is not given out for publication, but the closing paragraphs are made public. They are as follows:

"You will not, I hope, think it amiss if I suggest the necessity of pushing with more vigor than ever the doctrine of your

organization. "I believe that the theories and practices which tari f reform antagonizes are responsibe for many, if not all, of the evils which afflict our people. If there is a scarcity of the circulating medium, is not the experiment worth trying, as a remedy, of leaving the money in the bands of the people and for their use which is needles'y taken from them under the pretext of necessary taxation! If the farmer's life is a hard one in his discouraging struggle for better rewards of his toil are the prices of his propucts to be improved by a policy which hampers trade in his best markets and invites the competition

of dangerous rivals? "Whether other means of relief may appear necessary to relieve the present hardships, I believe the principle of tariff reform promises a most important aid in their satisfaction; and that the continued and earnest advocacy of this principle is essential to the lightening of the burdens

of our countrymen. "Hoping that your organization may continue to be one of usefulness and encouragement, I am, yours very respectfully,

"GROVER CLEVELAND."

Frozen to Death. Mrs. Thomas Pall of Hunting, Wis., was frozen to death Wednesday night. She had spent the day at the home of a friend. In the evening she started for home with a lantern, and was not heard of again until Saturday morning, when an Indian named Kick a-Paw found her dead, sittin; upright with her arms outstretched. She had wandered of the road into the deep

A Workman Patally Injured. Peter Delm, an employe of Koehler's enameling works, in Sheboygan, Wis... was fata ly injured last evening by the

REE SEABORN SMITH WILL HANG. WHO GETS THE CREDIT?

Being a White Man Failed to Free

Him Before a Georgia Court.

Atlanta, Ga., telegram: The conviction of a white man of assault upon a colored girl, for which the penalty is death, was the feature of Monday's session of the Newton Superior court. Miss Lelia Aiken is a comely mulatto girl, who had been teaching a colored school in the country. It was her custom to walk from home to the school, three miles distant. One day in the latter part of last year she was overtaken by Road Commissioner Seaborn Smith, who asked her to ride in his buggy, which she did. He drove rapidly to a secluded spot where he assaulted her, and threatened to kill her if she told. The discovery of the trime incited the negroes to lynch law, from which they were restrained by the promise of leading citizens that the Newton county court would do justice. While in jail Smith confessed to some fellow prisoners as well as to the sheriff. When the trial began, the prisoner relied to a great extent upon this immunity as a white man, but it did not serve his purpose. The jury brought in a verdict without the recommendation to mercy, which under the Georgia law, saves a culprit's neck. Smith will be sentenced to death.

MR. DEPEW FOR GOVERNOR.

Likely to Be the Republican Candidate in New York.

A New York special says: After looking the field over the Republican leaders of this State have decided that Chauncey M. Depew is the most available candidate for Governor that can be named for the cintest next fall. They are now engaged in a patriotic endeavor to convince Mr. De-



pew of that fact and to pre ail upon him to accept the nomination. He has practically assured the leaders that he will accept the nomination.

The suggestion of Mr. Depew for the Republican standard-bearer in this State next fall emanated from the active brain of Mr. Platt, but it has been kindly received by all factions of the party. State Senator Commodore P. Vedder claims the honor of leing the first man to seriously broach the subject to Mr. Depew. Mr. Vedder is closely identified with Mr. Platt in politics.

MURDER AND ARSON

Fate of a Merchant at Franklin, Pa.

-Fire at Detroit, Minn. At Franklin, Penns Ivania, the residence of N. P. Tobin, a leading merchant tailor, was destroyed by fire in the morning and the remains of Mr. Tobin were found in the debris. The body was found in a crouched position in the parlor, the head resting in a pool of blood, with finger marks on his throat and every indication that he was murdered. Burglars' tools were found about the place and he probably discovered them at work. He was a man of enormous physical strength, and theory points to several tramps, who have

been arrested. Two years ago a great sensation was caused by the finding of the dead body of Mr. Tobin's daughter, Mary, in the water off Long Island sound near Clifton, and the mystery surrounding her violent death has never been eleared away.

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MORGAN TO BE RETIRED.

The Commissioner of Indian Affairs Asked to Resign. Washington telegram: Indian Com-

missioner Morgan is in trouble. President harrison, it is understood, has asked for his regisnation. It will be remembered that when Morgan was nominated to the place there was much indignation among Catholics because of his hostility to that church. His confirmat on was vigorously opposed and he got through only after a hard fight. His administrant on of the Indian office, the Catho'i's have charged, has been marked by intoleran e toward Catholic Indian schools and the Catholic

RIVALRY BETWEEN SECRETARY RUSK AND MR. PHELPS.

The Discussion Is In Regard to the Attempts to Introduce American Beef and Pork Into Germany.

Washington telegram: There may be question of etiquette over the re-introduction of the American hog and beef into Germany and a clash between Secretary Rusk and Minister Phelps as to who is entitled to the credit of the re-introduction. There is considerable amusement at the agricultural department over some recent cablegrams from Berlin saying that Minister Phelps was assisting in having American beef landed at Hamburg and was putting it on his own table as a means of introducing it to German consumers. As a matter of fact, these shipments were begun by the firm of Nelson Morris of Chicago about the first of January last, so that the transaction which has been cabled is about three months old. The Morris shipment was due largely to the efforts of Secretary Rusk, who desired to see what could be done toward getting American beef into German ports. The Secretary had the department of State request the United States consul at Hamburg to make a strong effort to get the beef admitted without the usual red-tape quarantine restrictions. Through the efforts of the consul the cattle were received quickly, and the first shipment was an entire success before Minister Phelps knew anything about it. The people of the department think it is rather late for a cablegram to announce how successful Mr. Phelps has been in admitting this preliminary shipment, when the joint efforts of Secretary Rusk and the Chicago shippers secured the success some time ago.

An application has been received by Secretary Rusk from a Chicago firm for inspection of hogs designed for the export trade under a recent act of Congress providing for such inspection. The regulations for such inspection are already drawn up so far as is necessary for compliance with the requirements of the law. In referring to this law and to that which provides for the regulation by the Secretary of Agriculture of the conditions of cattlecarrying vessels, the firm declares that these laws will help the farming and cattle-raising interest beyond anything it is now possible to estimate. Foreign countries, it believes, will not take our animal products for human food without inspection, and it is persuaded that by these two bills becoming a law millions will be saved to the country.

ALLISON AND THE ITALIANS. The Iowa Senator Denies an Alleged Interview.

A Dubuque, Iowa, special says: While in New Orleans the other day Senator Allison was seen by an Associated Press reporter, who telegraphed that the Senator had strongly denounced the killing of the Italians, and he asserted that the evidence brought out on the trial was not strong enough to convict them. Senator Allison reached his home in this city today, and to a correspondent he emphatically denied the statement, saying that so far as he could learn all but two of the slaughtered Italians were known to be guilty. He said the United States could not be held liable for indemnity.

Named in Honor of Gen. Crook. A Washington special says: The memory of the distinguished Indian fighter, Gen. Crook, has been further honored by the promulgation of a general order from the War Department designating the new military post at Omaha, Neb., Fort Crook. This is in accordance with a provision in the recent Sundry Civil act limiting the cost for the construction of the post to \$500,000 and requiring it to be so named. This is the first time for many years that Congress has named a post; this is a matter usually left to the President.

Medals from France. O. A. Wells, superintendent of public instruction, at Madison, Wis., has received, through the department at Washington, two hand ome bronze medals from the French government. The medals were given to the educational department of the State for copies of educational reports and courses of study shown in the reports. which were exhibit-

ed at the Paris exposition.

Went After Musk Oxen. W. Washburton Pike, an English explorer, has returned to Winnipeg, Man. from the Arctic circle, where he has been for the last two years in search of musk oxen and buffalo. His party underwent terrible suffering in their journey, being at one time for fourteen days without any food. Pike was successful in bringing home skins of over fifty musk

Scheme of Wholesale Grocers.

Dubuque, Iowa, telegrrm: The whole sale grocers here have agreed upon a plau to meet the reduction of sugar luties which takes effect April 1. Stocks on as well as the influence of the resident hand will be disposed of and new stocks ordered will be shipped in bond, to be held until midnight, March 31, when the surveyor of customs will release them and they will at once be forwarded to country customers.

Molasses in an Oilship. New York telegram: The Circassian

Prince from Havana brings 500,000 gallons of Cuba molasses in bulk, which is the first instance of an oil-tank vessel being used for this purpose. The freight paid is said to be 2 cents a gallon. Importers will hold it in bond when sugar and molasses will be free.

An Insane German Officer. Berlin cablegram: Lieutenant of the Infantry Blume armed two squads of infantry in Naumburg Germany, and ordered them to charge the unsuspecting citizens with drawn bayonets. Eight persons were mortally wounded. Blume. who is the son of a general, was intoxicated. The authorities declare him to be

Riot at an Italian Meeting.

temporarily insane.

Troy, N. Y., telegram: While 150 Italians were holding a meeting to protest against the mob's action at New Orleans the building was bombarded with cobble stones by a mob outside. Pistol shots were fired, but no one was injured. The reserve police force dispersed the large crowd which had gathered.

A Present to Senator Gorman, Baltimore, Md., dispatch: The com mittee of Maryland Democrats to procure a testimorial for Senator Gorman in appreciation of his services in Congress have determined to present him with a solid WASHINGTON NEWS.

The Supreme court has decided the case of the United States vs. Clark Brewer et al., which comes here on a certificate cf division of opinion among the judges of the Circuit court of the United States for the western district of Tennessee. Brewer and others were election officers and were indicted under a federal statute for refusing or neglecting after election to open the ballot-boxes at the place where the election was held and for failing to read aloud the names of the voters, these being requirements of the law of Tennessee. The indictment did not allege fraud or intent to commit fraud, nor that the election was affected by the action of Brewer and his colleagues. The Supreme court, in an opinion by Justice Brewer, holds that the indictment was bad.

Chairman Allison, of the Senate appropriation committee, gives the reasons which operated in the several appropriation acts to increase expenditures authorized by the present Congress over those of its predecessors. He says:

An increase of \$1,441,473 under the agricultural appropriation act was caused by the establishment of agricultural experiment stations and the transfer of the weather bureau from the war department.

In the army appropriation bill the small increase of \$32,085 was for the expenses of recruiting, and in the diplomatic and consular service a reduction of \$40,750 was made. An increase of \$637,849 for the District of Columbia was for the police department, street improvement and public schools, and under fortification an increase of \$2,302,144 was for continuing the construction of mortar batteries for the defense of Boston, New York, San Francisco, and other harbors, and for the new gun factory at Watervliet, N. Y. In the Indian bill an increase of \$7,307,142 was made to carry into effect recent treaties negotiated with various Indian tribes. An increase of \$1,456,633 under the legislative, executive, and general branch of the government was for clerical force in the various departments, mainly in the pension office. An increase of \$300,000 was made in the internal revenue service, principally on account of the expenses of inspection of sugar, upon which a bounty is to be paid. The appropriations for the military academy were less than those made by the last Congress by \$30,419. The navy appropriations show an increase of \$14,012,344 for new ships for the navy and the improvement of plants at the navy-yards. Pensions show an increase of \$113,312,351, including the deficiencies made by the Fifty-first Congress over the Fiftieth Congress. This increase was caused in part by the failure of the present Congress to make sufficient appropriations for pensions for the year 1890, leaving a deficiency of \$25,311,907 to be pro-

vided for. An increase of \$22,668,348 under the Post-Office bill was due to the growth and expansion of the service throughout the country. The increase of \$2,738,678 for river and harbor improvements was due to enlarged aopropriations for some of the principal works of improvement in progress, such as the Mis-issippi and Missouri River improvements. The increase for sundry civil expenses of \$15.5:0.499 was for the river and harbor improvements, expenses of the e eventh census, public buildings, Government Printing-Office, Home for Disabled Volunteer Solmilitary josts, for artificial limbs for soldiers, for the World's Fair, for the life-saving service, for recoinage of silver

coins, quarantine service. The deficiency appropriations exclusive of pension deficiencies were \$1,726,264 less than those made by the Fiftieth Congress, although an appropriation of

\$1,304,0 0 for the payment of French spoliation claims was included in the bill. The miscellaneous appropriations act shows a decrease of \$9.159,221 over the Fiftieth Congress. This was caused in the main by the fact that many public building acts passed by the Fiftieth Congress carried appropriations therefor, while the Fifty-first Congress excluded most of such appropriations from the special acts and made special provisions in the sundry civil act.

RECIPROCITY WITH HAWAII.

English Residents Using Their Influ-

ence Against Mr. Blaine's Proposals. The new commercial treaty between the United States and Hawaiian Islands has been received from Washington at Honolula, and submitted to the conference of the Queen and her Cabinet. The treaty calls for the cancellation of the present existing treaty between the two governments and the substitution of the document which permits of full and free interchange of all products, both natural and manufactured, of the two countries. The treaty is said to be the same which was submitted to King Kalakaua shortly be fore his death in San Francisco. The King objected to the treaty because Hawaiian sugar was not put on equal terms with American sugar, namely: To receive bounty. It is not known what action on the treaty will be taken by the Government, but it is stated that the influence of the English friends of the Queen, British diplomates, will prevent her from accepting the new treaty in its present form. It is almost conceiled that her ina esty will turn to Canada and Australia for an arrangement similar to the commercial treaty heretofore existing between

Hawaii and the United States. Owing to the appointment Charles B. Wilson as marshal of the Kingdom, two members of the Cabinet will resign. Wilson is said to be an illiterate workman, but is on friendly relations with the Queen.

Suicide of Dr. B. M. Pahl at Findlay. At Findlay, Ohio, Tuesday, Lr. B. M. Pahl, a prominent German physician, committed suicide by taking fifty-eight morphia pills. Dr. Pahl was a native of Heidelberg, Germany, forty-eight years old, and was a highly educated man. He practiced for a time in St. Petersburg, Russia, before coming to this country. Domestic trouble was the cause of the self murder. He leaves a wife and four children.

Prairie Fire in Kansas.

A Kansas City dispatch says: A disastrous prairie fire occurred twenty miles east of here. A large number of farms were swept clean of fences, houses, and barns, and large numbers of cattle and horses perished. It is feared that lives were lost, as a strong wind was blow-

Michigan Capitalist Found Dead. Thomas T. Cobb, of Ka'ama oo, was found dead in bed at Rock Ledge, Florida, He was a prominent citizen and capital-

FOR THE LADIES.

INTERESTING ITEMS FOR YOUNG AND OLD FEMININITY.

A Bit of Poetry-The Decline of Marriage -Foundry Girls-Letting a Man Alone-Etc., Etc.

Oh, in her sable garments the widow looked For beauty in its sorrow is beauty's crown I ween; The rosy pallor of her cheeks, in all their

tender glow.

Was like a purple sunset upon a drift of And in her weeping eyes of blue such weird emotions lav

Such somber depths of sadness, and shadows dim and grey—
That you would fancy she had lost—poor, Not one dear lord and master, but twenty

five or more. She ran to me she rushed to me with all her youth and gold,
And in soft, pleading accents, she asked to
be consoled.

There was, she gasped, a vacant place upon her heart's throne still.

That somebody, if he knew how, could take by storm and fill.

Well, I knew how, for grasping both her jeweled hands in mine, I quaffed from those ripe lips of hers a vintage rich as wine! And while I tore the widow's serge right off her queenly head.
And told her that a living spouse was better that a dead, She leant upon my bosom in tremulous surprise, And sorrow's shadows vanished from the blue depths of her eyes.

To-day the ragman purchased the sable weeds I sold, And now I own the widow—the widow and her gold. -Eugene Davis, in West Shore.

. The Decline of Marriage.

It appears to be an admitted fact that there is a yearly increasing falling off in the number of marriages which take place among the prosperous and highly educated classes, both in this country and in Europe. It has always been noticeable that the poorer and least educated portions of society have been the readiest to launch upon the sea of matrimony and have raised the largest lamilies. The decline in the number of marriages among the wealthier and more cultivated classes has been commonly attributed to the increased cost of living, and the demands of luxury, pride and ostenta- dreds are disposed of daily. Eatingtion, but there are those who think it attributable principally to newer conceptions of what marriage should be. It is no longer the alliance for commonplace objects of two persons of opposite sexes with few or no mental needs or susceptibilities in common, but the union of two beings whose intellects, feelings, tastes and sympathies have been assiduously trained to a high point of development and sensitiveness. The man or woman of the highest culture and refinement excludes from his or her matrimonial scope the individual of the other sex of undeveloped powers. imperfect sympathies and inelegant manners. A highly trained intellect and taste with multitudinous objects of thought, and 'a wide acquaintance in society, does not stand in need of the perpetual companionship which is an absolute necessity to many. To a self-contained character of this sort a truly congenial marriage is undoubtedly an untold blessing, but the connubial state is not such an urgent necessity as to preclude deliberation, careful choice and some regard for consequences. A decline in hasty and ill-assorted marriages would prove a blessing to all grades of society and induce a much needed decline in divorces, which, for want of an international law, have grown to become quite too frequent for the public

Foundry Girls.

welfare. - The Home.

According to reports received by the Workingwomen's society of New York, women have taken another step word of acknowledgement; the selfish, spectible and intelligent men. Among forward, and have gone in large numbers into an occupation which seems | modestly takes all the credit. to be adapted only to men on account of the physical strength required, to be otherwise."-Agricultural Episays the Commercial. They have tomist. actually gone into the great foundries at Pittsburg, and today something like five hundred of them are "capping" nails and bolts—that is, putting heads on them. This is severe physical labor, and it takes a strong man to do the work. But the iron works find no difficulty in getting plenty of girls. Already the supply almost doubles the demand. This is the direct result: For the work mentioned men always received from \$14 to \$16 a week; the girls receive from \$4 to \$5 and are glad to get it. Now, men are practically thrown out of employment in a trade in which they used to earn living wages. It is the same old

But the idle men are enjoying a sweet little revenge. The girls who have taken their places are known everywhere in Pittsburg as "the foundry girls." There is nothing shameful in this title, but it is considered shr neful by other workingwomen in the Smoky City. The "foundry girl," it appears, can be recognized everywhere—on account of cinder-stained face, or for some other reason unknown outside of Pittsburg -and the "sales-ladies" and "factoryladies" cross the street when they see her a block off. They cannot bear the idea of "the foundry lady" being added to their social list.

Yet even the foundry woman is held to be higher in the social scale than the woman engaged in domestic serv- Oh, George, some one would be sure sumed, by the aid of levers, balls ice. "The "saleslady," it seems, is distinctly friendly to the factory be patient till we get to the park. - and axle, the Archimedean screw, the lady." The "factory lady" turns up her nose at the foundry girl. And the foundry girl is hardly condescending to the servant or nurse girl. It appears that there are finer distinctions in social caste among the Pittsburg working women than henaires of New York.

Easily Lost, But Never Found.

sixty large diamonds, each diamondminute-having about it sixty smaller ones-seconds. It will never be found again. This jewel disappeared between the hours of nine in the morning and nine at night, and no matter how great may be the reward offered, can never be recovered. How did you lose it? You stared idly out of the window for a few minutes. You didn't stop to give the thought, and and a few more went; and later in the day you tossed away a great many while you looked at a worthless novel. Then, just because you had nothing to do and wouldn't trouble yourself to find anything, you stared listlessly at the fire, and wondered this and you can make up your mind to this: the year is like a necklace. formed of perfect jewels. Each jewel a day, surrounded with those smaller ones-twenty-four of them-the hours, Ladies' Home Journal.

An Opening for Ladies. railroad restaurant, women might make money by putting up attractive lunches and selling them to the railare made up with ham, beef or fowl, and are sold so reasonably, that hunhouses on railroads are not the best in the world, with here and there money from the start.

The Domestic Man.

A fond father blessed with a large family of children, who was very do- emie Royale des Sciences at Paris mestic in his tastes and who enjoys passed a resolution that they would no telling a good story on himself, said longer entertain communications about he went home earlier than usual one discoveries of perpetual motion. afternoon, business being dull, and Men had worked for centuries on the late in the evening slipped up stairs the theory that the discovery of perto help the children to bed. Being petual motion was possible, nor did absent some time, his wife went up to see what was going on. Upon open- this authoritative opinion to the coning the nursery door and looking trary alter their views. And they are round, she exclaimed, "Why, dear, still at it, and probably will to the what in the world are you doing?" end of time. Hundreds of patents "Why," said he, "I am putting the have been granted for machines for children to bed and hearing them say the purpose, and the widespread and their prayers." "Yes," she said, continued existence of the fallacy is but this one is our neighbor's child, clearly shown by the scores of designs here all undressed." He had to re- and incomple models in the patent dress it and send it home. -The office at Washington.

Women the Main Stay.

cise this and that, and learnedly write about their experience, etc., but the fact still remains that the unassuming the poultry, and it is through her he did not leave the wheel. that the details, so important to the to. And she seldom receives even a many of them supposed to be very rethoughtless "Lord of Creation"

.There are some things that ought

Sweet Education.

Raisins in rum and green grapes in cream are among the sweets that New civil engineers, several mechanical York school girls pay one dollar a engineers, etc. pound for. Assorted chocolates are the same price, but the fillings are inventor (in his younger days), and most remarkable. A body never even Sir Isaac Newton, believed perknows what is coming next until she petual motion might be discovered. has put her teeth in the brown cube. All so-called perpetual motion ma-Then California fig, almond, apple, chines that have run have been imnougat, marshmallow, ginger, jelly, positions with secret clockwork or marmalade, marron and nuts and creams in variety may be discovered in a single pound.

A Female Mechanic.

An English woman who came to this country a few years ago to live with lew minutes Fulton's sensitively acher brother, was thrown out of a home curate ear and eye told him that the by his death. A friend hearing that machinery showed the recurring altershe had learned the carpenter's trade nation of comparative speed and slowin a parish school in England, ad- ness which always comes from a ly on a heavy track elevated twentyvised her to do repairing from house crank turned by hand. In spite of the reight feet above the level of the floor to house. She gladly accepted the opposition of the enraged exhibitor. advice, and did her work so well, she Fulton and his friend seized the masoon received \$2.50 per day in families, repairing broken furniture and doing odd jobs. - Living Church.

Wouldn't Bus on the Avenue. -I'm awfully warm, Mary! Let's crust and grinding away at a cank.

take a bus. Pretty Cousin (blushing sweetly)-West Shore.

Footlytes-Have you seen Miss De Noode in her new play? great. She outstrips all her previous efforts. - West Shore.

A Theatrical Sensation.

SEEK BUT NEVER FIND.

There was lost the other day one beautiful golden hour set about with MEN WHO HUNT PERPETUAL MOTION.

> There Are a Number of Frauds Seeking to Do the Utterly Impossible, but Many More Are Lunatics—It Is a Very Ancient Hobby.

As is generally known, a perpetual motion machine is one to be moved by a power furnished by the machine ityou got the wrong shoe on the wrong self and not from any source outside foot, and lost some more minutes of it. A mill or a clock run by the straightening them. You had a fool- incessant rise and fall of the tide is ish argument with your little sister, not perpetual motion. Neither is a machine that runs by the power of terrestrial or other magnetism, or of be did!" the wind, or of variations in the weight of the atmosphere, or by electricity coming from outside of the machine, or by the force of heat coming how long the day was going to be. Then from the sun. A wheel that could alyou wasted more time by annoying ways of itself keep more weight at your mother and using up the minutes one side than at the other and thus that, to her, were of such moment. turn so long as its materials lasted Now the hour is gone. There is no would be perpetual motion, and such use crying over it, but you can think has been the form of most of the machines invented for the purpose. It may be safely said that there are

to-day as many minds afflicted with this mild form of insanity as there and one of these lost or thrown away, have been at any time in the past. makes the necklace worthless. Con- Every city, town and hamlet possesses clude, therefore, to look after the its would-be inventor who is striving smaller jewels, to make each one to achieve the end that is to startle brilliant; and at the end of the year the world. Many who will not openly your chaplet will be worthy to deco- admit that they believe perpetual rate the century.—Ruth Ashmore, in motion is possible are secretly thinking upon the matter and entertaining the hope that they may yet do what so many have failed in doing. No other A writer in the Picayune suggests fallacy has been so popular or has so that in towns not provided with a good long withstood the light of reason as has perpetual motion. Alchemy and the transmutation of metals, which for way travelers. A neat little lunch a season so occupied the minds of men. basket lined with Japanese paper nap- passed away to return no more. The kins, containing half a broiled chicken philosopher's stone and the elixir vitæ cut up, a few slices of homemade were believed in and earnestly sought bread, some pickles, radishes and after by the really scientific men of a eggs, would certainly sell well. On few generations, but the search was the English trains, and indeed in some finally given up. The phantom of perparts of this country, these lunch petual motion, however, will not down. baskets are a great institution. They but beckons men on and on, leading them all to the same inevitable result -total failure. Men are as far from the discovery of the secret to-day as they were seven centuries ago, and notable exceptions, so any woman go- they will get no nearer to it until a ing into the lunch-basket or lunch- weight placed upon the ground can box business would probably make lift itself up, or, as the idea is sometimes more strikingly presented, until one can lift himself off the floor by pulling his boot straps.

More than a century ago the Acad-

Honecourt, a flemish architect of the thirteenth century, left a drawing of a wheel that was to solve the problem. Poultry breeders may .. blow their with this memorandum: .. Many a horns" as much as they please; crititime have skillful workmen tried to contrive a wheel that shall turn of itself. Here is a way to make such a wife is the best "poultry-man," as a one, by an uneven number of mallets general rule. She keeps an eye on or by quicksilver." But, unfortunately,

From this time on seekers after success of the business, are attended perpetual motion have been numerous, the receivers of twenty-six English and twenty-three French patents taken out for perpetual motions between 1860 and 1869 were a colonial bishop, a professor of philosophy, one of languages, two barons, a Knight Templar, a doctor of medicine, two

Arkwright, the celebrated English some other hidden source of propulsion. Fulton one time went to see a "perpetual motion" machine, having a friend with him. After sitting and listening and looking intently for a chine, jerked away the table it stood on, found that a cord led through one leg and away under the floor, and fol-Young St. Louisan (walking on they found the "motion"-a venerable Chouteau avenue with pretty cousin) beggar seated on a stool, munching a

And so it has been in a score of other cases in which men have preto see us here on the avenue. Please rolling on an inclined plane, the wheel pump, the syphon, the hydrostatic bellows, the hydraulic ram, etc., to have discovered perpetual motion. An authority in the study declares: "From the infant machines projected Firstnytes-Yes, and I tell you it is in the thirteent's century to the last

lever-worked pretensions patented as motions, no motion whatever has resulted from the one or the other to the present day. Not a solitary discovery is on record, not one absolutely ingenious scheme projected or one simple self-motive model accomplished."

Isn't it about time for some people to cease wasting time and money in seeking to discover perpetual motion and for those who persist in it to be placed in an asylum, if one large enough to contain them can be built, where they can laugh at each other's absurdities and be united in their purpose to achieve what reason and history declare is "The thing that can't

CATCHING AT STRAWS. The Old Saying Realized in Every-Day Life on

the Great Lakes. "Yes," said an old lake captain in an interview last night, "a drowning man will catch at a steaw. I have seen many illustrations thereof. Most people think the old proverb is a mere figure of speech, but it is a living truth."

"Is it true, captain," was asked, "that the first thing a rescued man thinks of is his hat?"

"Yes, sir," replied the captain, his face lighting up, "that is a fact, too. I have seen it emphasized many times in the course of my experience. Over and over again I have been called to the assistance of a drowning man; I would plunge in and rescue him just, let us say, at the last instant. Dragged on the dock, gasping for breath, his voice choked with water, the man, if he follows his instincts, will, as soon as he gains the least degree of strength, ure and stretch his arms toward his head, then missing his hat (usually lost in the struggle) he will cry out desperately, pointing to his hat floating down the river, oh, save my hat! save my hat!"

"And he will never think of himself,

captain?" "But seldom, sir," was the reply. A rescued man is the most obstinate and headlong being imaginable. He wants to do all sorts of foolish things. He generally wants to rush up and be away before he has had time to recover his strength; or some bystander will insist on giving the man several large gulps of whisky. This generally has the effect of turning the patient's stomach. But as I said before, a man under these circumstances seldom thinks of himself. much less the one who rescued his life. He means well enough, no doubt, but he nearly always forgets to present his obligations in tangible form.

Myths of the fea's Saltness.

There are hundreds of queer myths and traditions given to account for the fact that the sea is salt, says the St. Louis Republic.

The Arabs say that when the first pair sinned they were living in a beautiful garden on a tract of land joined to a mainland by a narrow neck or isthmus. When it became known to the Holy One that his people had sinned he went to the garden for the purpose of driving them out and across the narrow neck of land into the patch of thorn and brambles on the other side. Anticipating what would be the consequence of their heinous crime, they had prepared to leave their beautiful garden, and had actualy gone so far as to send the children

and the goats across into the thicket. When the Holy One appeared on the scene the first pair started to run, but the woman looked back. For this the man cursed her, and for such a crime was almost immediately turned into a huge block of salt. (Compare with Genesis xix., 26.) The woman, more forgiving than her husband, stooped to pick up the shapeless mass of sait, when immediately the narrow. neck of land began to crack and break. As she touched what had once been her companion she, too, was turned to salt just as the neck of land sank and the waters rushed through.

From that day to this, the Arabs say, all the waters of the ocean have rushed through that narrow channel at least once a year, constantly wearing away the salt of what was once our first parents, yet the bulk of the two salty objects is not diminished in the least.

Tons Raised by a Touch.

A powerful crane, capable of raising into the air, in response to the touch of an electric button, a locomotive weighing ninety tons has been put in operation at the Baldwin locomotive works. The huge engine rides smoothof the main shop.

Formerly the work of raising from the ground a locomotive in the process of construction was accomplished with great difficulty by the aid of lowing the track into the back yard, hydraulic jacks. At present the locomotive whose wheels, or other parts, are to be adjusted is grasped in a wrought-iron yoke, and, with surprising ease, lifted, in obedience to the engineer's touch, into mid-air, and shifted to any desired position in the shops. - Philadelphia Record.

A Pointer for Country Store Patrons

Abraham Lincoln used to tell a story about two men who made a fortune in Kentucky. One of them minded his own business and the other let other people's business alone. Both of them hydraulic. posumatic, weighted and got rich, lived long and died happy. Harper's B.zar.

A BRAVE MAN'S BLUFF.

How Col. Chaves Stampeded a Band of

Apaches. Away back in 1864 news came to the ranch of Col. Manual Chaves, at Los Ojuelos, New Mexico, the matchless rifle shot and Indian fighter, that a band of twenty Apaches had swooped down upon the Rio Grande and stolen 200 head of horses and mules, with which they were fleeing toward the Manzano mountaines. A force of settlers were in pursuit but the Indains had a long start and were well armed and mounted. Should they once reach the Sierra, further pursuit would be simply suicidal. Hidden behind rocks and trees they could pick off their pursuers with absolute safety to themselves.

There were no other man in the house save his dying son-in-law; but without a moment's hesitation Don Manuel saddled his pet swift mare, and with his deadly rifle across the saddle bow garloped off alone to meet a score of the most fearful of all savage warriors. Riding southward to the top of a wooded ridge, he soon saw the Apaches coming toward him. When they were near he charged boldly out at them, signaling behind him as if to a force hidden in the timber. The Indians, unable to fathom his audacity and supposing that of course he had a strong force at his back -so that they were in danger of being caught between two fires-scattered like quail into the mountains, leaving the stolen mules to be recaptured by the pursuing Mexicans who were close behind.

In returning home from this adventure-wherein his nerve had saved \$10,000 worth of mules to his friend suddenly rise from his prostrate post- Don Cristobal Armijo-Don Manuel's mare stepped into a prairie-dog hole and fell upon him, crushing his leg frightfully. He was three months in bed, but ultimately recovered full use of the leg; and the courage and coolness which had so long distinguished him still made him a terror to the hostile tribes of the Southwest for more than a decade longer.

A Farmer Who Didn't Want Any Soap.

"You can either beat a farmer as slick as grease or you can't beat him at all," said the patent hay fork man as we were talking about his adventures in the rural regions. "That is, he is either gullible or oversuspicious. Some will refuse a good thing and some will snap at a swindle. I think I can illustrate my declarations right here, or at least one of them. The man in the seat over there is a farm-

"I should say so."

"And he's one of the sort who suspects every stranger. Watch me try him."

He took a cake of toilet soap from his satchel and going over to the farmer saluted him in a pleasant manner, and added:

"I have a new make of soap here which I am introducing to the public. It is worth fifteen cents a cake, but I make the price only five."

"Don't want it," was the gruff reply. "With every cake goes a \$5 greenback, a gold bracelet, the deed of a town lot in Kansas, a pocket knife, a pair of eye-glasses, and a solid gold

"Don't want 'em sir!" "As I want your opinion of the soap

will give it to you." "I won't take it!" "But, sir, in order to introduce it

into your neighborhood I will give you 100 cakes free, and at the same time leave five watches and five deeds to town lots." "Look-a-here!" shouted the farmer

as heju mped up and spat on his hands. "You go away from me or I'll mash you! I'm on to your tricks, old man, and if you think you have picked up a hayseed, you are barking up the wrong reet."

And the hayfork man had to move lively to escape the blow levelled at his nose.

The Harmattan or Withering Wind.

The name of harmattan has been given a periodical wind which blows from the interior of Africa toward the Atlantic Ocean during the three months of December, January and February. It sets in with a fog or dry haze which sometimes conceals the sun for whole weeks together. Every plant, bit of grass and leaf in its course is withered as though it had been seared by heat from a furnace; often within an hour after it begins to blow green grass is dry enough to burn like paper. Even the hardened natives lose all of the skin on exposed parts during the prevalence of this withering wind.

The Why of It.

When some one bragged that only one public execution had taken place in Turkey in five years, an Englishman investigated and discovered that no culprit who could raise \$100 to bribe officials had suffered death during the last twenty years. There is always a good reason for anything that happens in Turkey.

The Wise Little City Girl.

"What are those funny little green things?" asked Flossie of her country cousin, pointing to a number of pea

"Those are peas," said Tommy. "You can't fool me," retorted Flos-

ILLINOIS NEWS.

Prof. Henry A. Allen, of Jerseyville, died

Cornelius Roush, one of the oldest settlers of Galena, is deal. Isaac Van Ness, of Irving Park, was

killed by the cars. Chicago's death rate is only 18.22 in every ,000 of population.

The river at Peorla is clear of ice and navigation has opened. L. K. Hull, a prominent business man of

Roodhouse, died recently. Friday, April 10th, was designated as Arbor day by the governor. John Wheeler, for fifty years a resident

of Kendali county, died at Plano. The Democrats of Carlinville, Gen. Pal-mer's old home, held a big mass meeting. Guy C. Rowell, uncle of ex-Congressman Rowell, died at Bloomington, aged eighty-

Cyrenus Sickman was killed near Monmouth, by a Chicago, Burlington and Mr. and Mrs. Adam Kern celebrated their

solden wedding at Carthage. They are pio-

three.

neers of Illinois. Eddie White, of Greenville, blew into an 'unloaded' shotgun. His physicians say

he cannot recover. A steel steamer 308 feet long was launched from the vards of the Chicago Ship Building Company.

Mrs. T. M. Hawk, of Lanark, was killed and her husband fatally injured in a railway crossing accident.

An unknown man was killed by the Deplaines accommodation train on the Chicago and Northwestern in Chicago.

William Rittamel, of Chicago, endeavored in a fit of insanity to kill his wife. He failed and subsequently shot himself dead. A five-month-old daughter of Bernard Shrone, of South Chicago, was suffocated by a pet cat that was sleeping in the cradle

with her.

An unknown man was run over and killed by a switch-engine on Lessing street. Chicago. He was apparently 50 years of

age. The House Judiciary Committee recommended the passage of the bill to prevent the prostitution of females under the age

William Meyer and Miss Luseta Emrick and Walter F. Thorn and Miss Jennie R. Fletcher, all prominent in Beardstown society, were married. Barney and William Brown, on trial at

Quawka for killing G. W. Hally last December, were found guilty and sentenced othirty years in the penitentiary. Mrs. Ann M. Smith of Springfield died

suddenly at San Francisco, aged 65 years. She was a sister of Mrs. Abraham Lincoln and Mrs. Ninian W. Edwards. James Veale, a merchant tailor, has precipitated a labor strike in Decatur by cutting down the union scale of prices. His

men have walked out pending the settlement. At the trial of John Spelman, charged with burglary and safe-breaking, in Peoris, the jury brought in a verdict that the defendant was insane. The verdict was anticipated.

Nelson Greengrove, an old citizen of Decatur, aged 63, took a butcher-knife, went into an outhouse and cut his throat from ear to ear. He was temporarily insane and will die. He has a family.

Edward Carlson, an employe of the Norta Chicago Street Italiway Company, while working in a man-hole in the cable track was caught by a cable train and dragged 400 feet. He cannot live.

Court and business circles of Lincoln are exercised over the flight of Charles West, a has applied from \$1,000 to \$2,000 of other people's money to his own use. The Secretary of the American Flint

Glass-Workers Union, was in Ottawa, and the difficulty among the workmen of the Labastic Chimney Works was amicably settled. The men returned to work. William H. Herndon, popularly known as "Lincoln's law partner," died of the grip

at his home in Sangamon county. His son William M., a young man of 21, died six hours before of pneumonia. The body of an unknown man was found

in the lake at the foot of 12th street, Chicago. The body was that of a laboring man, feet 11 inches tall, beary set, smooth face, dressed in flannel shirt and overalis.

Philip William Peacock, 18 years of age, was sentenced to fourteen years in the penitentiary at Watseka, for killing his father, William Peacock. The murder was committed near Ashkum, Iroquois County, in

John Hepp, of Chicago, was arrested on a charge of murder and released on \$10,000 bonds. His victim is John Gellins, who interfered in a quarrel between Hepp and his wife. Hepp cracked his skull with a monkey-wrench.

Senator Rickett introduced a bill appropriating \$20,000 to pay for the removal of the dead buried in the Kaskaskia cemeteries to a site at such a distance from the Mississippi River as to secure safety from encroachments by that stream.

Thomas McSweeney, who shot and killed

his sweetheart, May Donaldson, in a fit of jealous rage last Christmas Eve, in Chicago, was given four years in the penitentiary. McSweeney's plea was self defense, lie alleging that the woman threw a lamp at Gerard Jeffrey, a colored janitor in Chicago, surprised two men stealing lead pipe

from the basement. Jeffrey struck one of them over the head with a table leg. The blow nearly fractured his skull. He was identified as Alfred Nelson. The other thief escaped. The post-office authorities caused the arrest of L. W. Mitchell, a postmaster at Noble, and B. M. Rawland, a speculator of the

same place, on the charge of embezzlement.

It is charged that for five months the pair have been realizing on money orders that were handled in the office. A terrible accident occurred at the railroad crossing one mile west of Lanark. Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Hawk attempted to cross the track as the west-bound freight was coming, and the team stopped on the track.

The train struck the buggy, throwing them both, killing Mrs. Hawk instantly, and injuring Mr. Hawk terribly. Four Chinese laundries in Peoria were entered while the owners were attending Sunday school, and all the money and some clothing stolen. The fact that the laundries must have been entered about the same

time and were located in different quarters of the city goes to prove the existence of a regular gang of robbers. Thomas E. Steele, a farmer living three miles from Freeport, has disappeared. He obtained a loan of \$1,500 on his \$10,000 farm. A woman, whom he introduced as his wife, and himself signed their marks to the mortgage Later, Steele's wife denied having signed the mortgage. The whereabouts of

Steele and the pretended wife are un-known. Steele is wealthy and has eleven children. While making a desperate attempt to escape arrest a young man, supposed to be Fred. Rothchild, was shot dead, in Chicago, by Officer Frank Klafta, who discovered him and two companions in the act of burglarizing the three-story flat building at No. 265 West Randolph street. The circumstances of the killing apparently justify Officer Klafta, who was allowed to continue

on his beat pending an investigation James Bonhart, of Chicago, his wife and their two children, were taken violently ill. They had eaten canned beef for breakfast. Mrs. Bonhart and one of the children were so ill that their condition was considered dangerous, but all were pronounced out of "You can't fool me," retorted Flos- danger at night. A Newfoundland dog was sie. "Peas come in big red cans." given a hearty meal of the canned beef and was not effected. When the dog was fed or remnants left from dinner he died in couvulsions.

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SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 1891.

REPUBLICAN TICKET.

CITY TICKET. For Mayor,

HEMPSIEAD WASHBURNE. For Treasurer, JACOB TIEDERMANN

For Clerk, J. R. B. VAN CLEAVE. For Attorney, B. C. RICHOLSON.

WEST TOWN TICKET.

For Assessor. GEORGE SMITH. For Collector, ADAM WOLF. For Supervisor, MR. JUDDING. For Clerk. JOSEPH McDONALD.

JEFFERSON TOWN TICKET

For Supervisor, DANIEL CALHOUNE For Assessor, D. W. BLAIR. For Collector. PETER J. YOUNGQUIST. For Clerk, H. M. DINGMAN

ALDERMEN.

14th Ward, - HENRY W. SCHAEFER 15th Ward, - HARALD MICHAELSEN 16th Ward, - - GEORGE LENKE 27th Ward, - - - M. J. CONWAY.

VOTE for Harold Michaelsen for Alderman in the 15th Ward.

HENRY W. SCHAEFER, republicar nominee for Alderman in the 14th Ward, is growing in strength every day among the voters. His record as an upright business man is so well known that his election is virtually an assured fact.

Business on the lakes has been re sumed. A fast sailing vessel left Holland, Mich., March 24th. On May 1st a daily boat line will be opened between Holland and Milwaukee, in connection with the Chicago & West ern Michigan Railroad.

THE democrats of the 16th Ward have placed in nomination for Alderman Stanley Kuntz, whose maledorous record is well known throughout the ward. His opponent, Geo. C. business man, with a clean record, both in business and politics, and is an old resident of the ward. By all means vote for Geo. C. Lenke.

Many of the delinquent subscribers to the World's Fair stock who have been sued are sending in the amount and his delectable party should be of their assessments to the Treasurer, proud. assuming that their suits will be dismissed at the Treasurer's cost. But in every case their money is returned. In order to have their suits discontinued they must accompany the amount of the debt with the costs of court.

alleged "Citizens" movement, about "business men" being such enthusias. tic supporters of the ticket. Let us for bearer, Mr. Elmer Washburn: Is he what is generally termed a "business did he embark in it? Where is it lothroughout his somewhat checkered use it. career been a salaried man? In the general acceptation of the term is an indeed take notice of the manner, the employe strictly a "business man?" And furthermore, is it not a well cratic party is running things in this

suffering public, drop their mask, and nominate a business man themselves; True, the did attempt to persuade a "business man" to run, by naming Mr. Franklin McVeagh, but it is also true that Mr. McVeagh, as a "business man," politely declined the doubtful honor, claiming that his business would not permit him to accept, thus advising the self-appointed committee to mind their own business, instead of interfering with his. Now if they really are hungering and thirsting after a real live "business mon," let them throw overboard this and put upon their ticket the name of Mr. Hempstead Washburne, of the firm of Washburne & Lewis, bankers, La Salle street, a well known and reputable business firm. Mr. Hempstead Washburne, it may be remembered, is also the regular Republican nominee for mayor, and by endorsing him the Citizens would be sure to elect their candidate.

OI voters of each nationality. A City paper has gone to the pains of tabulating the nationality of the voters as shown by last fall's registration. The native borns white and black, foot up the called to order at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for the transaction of such business as may come before it, and will continue in session until the same is completed or as the meeting shall otherwise determine. Notice is hereby given to the legal voters and electors of The Town of Jefferson, in the County will be held at the annual Town meeting for said Town will be held at the native borns white and black, foot up the afternoon of said day, for the transaction of such business as may come before it, and will continue in session until the same is completed or as the meeting shall otherwise determine. Notice is hereby given to the legal voters and electors of The Town of Jefferson, in the County will be held at the annual Town Hall, in said Town, on Tuesday, the seventh day of April, A. D. 1891. The meeting will be called to order at the hour of two of colock in the afternoon of such business as may come before it, and will continue in session until the same is completed or as the meeting shall otherwise determine. Notice is hereby given to the legal voters and electors of The Town of Jefferson, in the County will be electors of The Town of Jefferson, in the County will be called to order at the hour of two of colock in the afternoon and kept orgen until the same is completed or as the meeting shall otherwise determine. Notice is hereby given to the County will be called to order at the hour of two of colock in the afternoon and kept orgen until the same is completed

Citizens of the 27th Ward and the Town of Jefferson, you can do no better in the interests of good, economic government for both city and town than to support, vote for and elect the whole Republican ticket from top to bottom, namely: Mayor, Hempstead Washburne; Treasurer, Jacob Tiedermann; City Attorney, B. F. Rich olson; City Clerk, J. R. Van Cleave Alderman, M. J. Conway; Supervi sor, Daniel Calhoun; Assessor, D. W. Blair; Collector, Peter J. Youngquist Town Clerk, H. C. Dingman, Jr Constable, H. E. R. Eicke.

CITIZENS TAKE NOTICE

Over Two Hundred Men"Working" in the 27th Ward, Drawing Over Four Hundred Dollars, And Nothing to Show for Their "Labors". Democratic Demagoguery and Jobbery Rampart. Some Plain Facts.

An alarming state of affairs new prevails in the 27th Ward and all owing to the fact that a Democratic mayor desires re-election, and hopes to secure a few extra votes by employing gangs of irresponsible persons, loafers and bummers, upon the streets, paying for their supposed services out of the City Treasury, thus prostituting the uses of the People's money, for the cash in the City Treasury does not belong to the Democratic mayor or the Democratic party to be used at their will and option for political purposes in the vain attempt to re-elect the Democratic mayor and perpetuating in power the Democratic party.

Let any one doubting this statement take a drive or walk about the several precincts of the ward and look about for himself. Here and there he may discover smoke curling slowly up from some burning brush heap in some out of the way corner, or, if his eyes are good he possibly may perceive an occasional tree, twig or branch lying in a ditch or by the side of a road. Is it for this that two hundred men are paid \$400 dollars a day out of the city treasury, the peoples money not dudats belonging to the Democratic party to be expended in its own some Lenke is a well known and reputable what questionable interests? Or is this numerous and, as a rule, disreputable gang paid \$400 per day for playing cards and loafing in Bob Alting's and Billy Gaines's saloons? The latter certainly appears to be at least one thing that they receive their salaries for, a fact of which Mr. Cregier

Another way the Democrats have of misapplying and wrongfully squandering the Taxpayer's hard earned cash is by doubling the number of foreman over gangs in the south end of the ward, in other words two bosses are now employed where only one was A great deal has been said one way considered necessary last summerand another, in connections with the a time when genuine work was supposed to be done rather than in the

winter and early spring of the year. So bold and arrogant have some of he has opened a saloon. a moment glance at their standard the would be bosses become that it is said that a certain democratic second handed politician is building a house, man?" What business is he in? When the work being done by city employes, and it is remored that sworn evidence hall to night (Saturday). A pleasant time cated? Did ever in his life he have a that such is the case is in possession of business of his own? Has he not a well known party who proposes to

> The citizens of the 27th Ward should scandalous manuer, in which the Demo-

good idea to end the farce which they ces should be met boldly at the polls have endeavored to force upon a long on April 7th and forever swept from

> Let the voters of this ward cast their suffrages for Hempstead Washburne and the Republican ticket and honest Government.

NATIONALITY OF CHICAGO VOTERS.

The Chicago registration system requires the applicant to state his place of nativity. A count of the nationalities has been made several times. The registration for the Presidential election of 1888 and for the county election last fall furnished a good basis for estimating the number political adventurer and mountebank of voters of each nationality. A city

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Natives (white)81,172	Bohemian
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Canadian 4,345	
English 5,581	Italian
Scotch 1,803	Hollanders
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Norwegian 2,991	
Danish 1,269	
French 545	
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The British and Canadian voters egistered number 11,729, while the Scandinavians foot up 9,708. The German element is much stronger than the Irish. Adding the Austrians and Swiss, who are nearly all Germans, there were almost \$35.000 registered voters of that nationality. An examination of this table shows that the natives of Ireland, number only one-ninth of the voters, but such is their capacity for government that they fill nine-tenths of the offices

TOTAL REGISTRATION OF VOTERS.

The Election Commissioners Figures Show an Increase of 25,000.

with salaries attached.

The Election Commissioners have tabulated the total registration of oters in the city and the result by

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Mrs. Chas Tallman and daughter. Lottie, are on the sick list this week. The Ladies' Aid Society will meet at

Mr. J. L. Birn has been on the sick list the past week, but is now able to be about

Mrs. B. W. Reid's Friday, April 3rd, at 2

Died-Tuesday, March 24th, at her mother's residence. Mrs. Evans, wife of C. R. Evans.

Richard Raleigh and family have moved into Under the Linden hall building, where Found-A small pet terrier which the

owner can have by proving property and paying expenses; address Box 27, Avon-The Jolly Seven Pleasure Club of Avondale, will give a ball at Under the Linden

time is anticipated. Died-Sunday, March 22nd, of dropsy, Mr. John Anderson, The funeral was held Thursday at 12 o.clock, at his late residence, under the auspices of the Knights of Pythia, of which he was a member, Rev. Mr. Schuckar officiating. He was interred at Mt. Olive.

At the regalar meeting of the Avondale veeuin, the Misses Lottie Tallman and known fact that he has not been in the employ of a "business man," but almost if not always of some city, town or corporation? If this is true, and take some important tolerate to the city, and take some immediate action in the matter. Any political organization or administration which will for a moment tolerate to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for these three numbers were offered to the American people. Send Ten Cente for the Ameri

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Dated Chicago, Murch 7th, 1891.

GEO. 8. MILLER,

Administrator

David M. Ball, Atty.

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Manufacturing Company take notice, that on Thursday, the 26th day of March 1891, there will be a meeting of the Stockholders of above company at 371 Sedgwick street, Chicago, Ill., at 2 o'clock P. M., to vote on the question of increasing capital stock of said company to \$30,000; meeting tailed by order of the directors,

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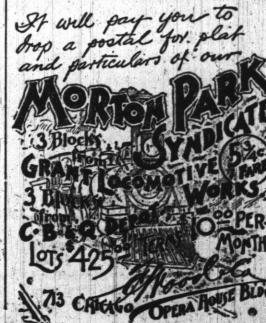
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POLITICAL POINTERS.

Prominent Citizen Causticly Reviews the Democratic and Citizens' Wrangles and Concludes by Looking Over the Situation in Jefferson 27th Ward.

"Well, I presume all tickets to be nominated are now in the field," said the Prominent Citizen to the reporter, as he entered; though William Mc-Nally and Jim Lyman might perhaps be persuaded to recussitate the old Greenback party as a sort of Democratic side show as they did years ago, and as I have remarked that Bill Gleason has lately looked unusually wise it is barely possible that another so-called Labor movement may be attempted. The more the merrier, for with each Democratic break the election of Hempstead Washburne becomes easier. They must have had a gen-Democratic convention in Turner Hall, and the two factions were well christened 'Kilkenny Cats,' whom you may remember fought each other until only their tails remained, all of which goes to prove how much Volatile William knew of the 'Harmony' which he so often boasted existed among the people with whom he lately so much.

Nominee;" and as a proof of his inten- and not the Democratic administration, on the outward walls of his head- tion-which instead of aiding has quarters has been hung a banner bear- hampered him-is due the credit for ing the inscription 'Carter H. Harris- most of the improvements with which on, the Regular Democratic Nominee the ward has been favored, and the rison, and as Louis Nettlehorst is going day, April 7th, and cast their votes for on as City Treasurer, Mr Cregier will him, and, between you and me, there have a tough time holding his own isn't the least doubt in the world but against Carter, to say nothing of at- what a sufficient number of them will tempting to defeat Hempstead. The so-called Citizens party have,

I see, after much groaning and agony Blair, of Irving Park, a man possesspleting what they are pleased to com- against whom nothing can be saidpliment with the title of ticket. There not even that heretofore he has sought of this paper, the manufacturers offer far are some very peculiar people among office-for assessor as against William those Cranks; for instance look at John Johnson, a long standing politician M. Palmer and Frank Drake. Ever and chronic office seeker, and who in nomination for Governor he has been discriminations between the rich and a disappointed, disgruntled man, and the poor. It is about time that the politically speaking. The latter, since as one man and shook off this old time lease on the South Town assessorship, clung to the public teat. besides holding the Grain Inspectorship at the same time, has also pre- that little smile of yours is played out at the hands of the Republicans than ceed you. this same Drake, who while the cash

are supporting the citizens ticket. Their only hope of catching a few votes is by attempting to mislead Republican voters with the names Back Number Prominents of our party and the hackneyed cry of Reform. But I is where he will be discovered the hardly think enough Republicans will morning of April 8th, notwithstanding allow themselves to be deceived as to Mr. William J. Kennedy, of Avondale cut much of a figure in the coming has been put to the front in the Demo-

By the way as it is so dinged in our ears about 'business men' being so directly connected with the citizens can you tell me what business is this man Elmer Washburn in? If so, when was it and where was it located?

H. M. Dingman, a very worthy world. Yet there are thousands of homes in America not yet supplied with a set of Dickens, the usual high cost of the books preventing people in moderate circumstances from enjoying this luxury. But now, owing to the use of modern improved printing, folding and statching machinery, the extremely low price of white paper, and the great competition in the book machinery, the extremely low price of white paper, and the great competition in the book machinery, the extremely low price of white paper, and the great competition in the book machinery, the extremely low price of white paper, and the great competition in the book machinery, the extremely low price of white paper, and the great competition in the book trade, we are enabled to offer to our subscribers and readers a set of Dickens' works at a price which all can afford to pay. Every home in the land may now be supplied with a set of the great author's works. can you tell me what business is this chanced to be allowed to retain a position under the several corporations he has served? and in this connection do you know it has already been settled that Frank Drake shall be Comptroller and John M. Hamilton is to be Corporation Counsel? So you see party or principle.

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Conway when last he run-and every in politics or hardly anything élse. one epeakes of him most highly and How is he going to attend to the ofpronounces his chances most favor- fice of Town Clerk unless the Town able. Who is this man Byus any- Hall is moved up to the depot, which Boots and Shoes. way? I hear he has only been in the would be quite a job; it seems to me, uine monkey and parrot show at the Ward a short time and, as far as I -or perhaps the station could be hired can discover, he is not known outside of the Northwestern R. R. Company Elegant Slippers for Christmas Presents. of Almira, and, in fact not very well and the town meetings held in the even there. A person may be a most passenger office and the agent could estimable one but it is necessary to be divide his time and attention between acquainted and popular among the selling tickets, answering questions people, not only of one but in all pre- and town business. Something might cincts of a ward, before one can with get slightly mixed some of the town any hope of election aspire to be elec- money might get into the railroad cash ted alderman. Conway, on the other drawer and vice versa, or perhaps a has affiliated, and for whom he claims hand, is anything but a stranger in passenger bound for the city possibly every part of the 27th and is well might receive an order for supplies on I notice that Carter H. is deter- liked wherever he has been. He is a the County poor house and then there mined to cross swords with Dewitt C. man who takes with all classes of peo- would be the to pay, nd no and ascertain who is the real Great I ple. He is police, affable, agreeable, mistake. But why anticipate such PURE DRUGS, MEDICINES, Am, and that he proposes to go into genial and whole souled, and besides things when there is no possibility of Court and establish the fact as to whom has a good record as a public official, their occurring, for the entire Republiis entitled to the privilege of styling to which he can point with pride, for can ticket will be elected, with himself the "Regular Democratic it is a well known fact that to him, Hempstead Washburne at the fore. for Mayor. Frank Lawler, too, still citizens and taxpayers, without regard which have been made in self-feeding pens remains true to his allegiance to Har- to party, should go to the polls Tues- a great part are due to the skill and perto give him a good, rousing majority.

On the town ticket we have D. W. of spirit, succeeded in further com- ing business talent of high order, since the former failed to receive the too many cases as assessor has made practically been dead to the world, taxpayers of the town of Jefferson rose he ascertained that he had not a life barnacle whose tentacles have so long

Cunning, foxy William Johnson, tended to enjoy the bitter seclusion of and the people of Jefferson are intelliprivate life to which he had been gent enough to see through your little forced by his neighbors. No man in schemes, and propose to elect Mr. Chicago has received more emolument Blair, a far more capable man, to suc-

For collector, I am glad to say, our was coming into his coffers was the folks have put in Peter J. Youngquist, strongest and most rigid of partisans. an energetic Swedish gentleman, resi-His last action has emphatically proved dent of Bowmanville, and who is that he was not a party man at all but abundantly capable and efficient to simply a Drake man, first, last and all fulfill the duties of the office in a first the time. The same may also be said class style, and not like his opponent, of Hamilton. An attempt has been Mr. Dan Booth, has he ever tried to made of course to make a great parade play fast and loose with both parties of their names because at one time in hope of gaining a nomination from they were supposed to be prominent one if he failed with the other. Mr. Republicans, but the truth is that at Youngquist is a Republican and not a the present time their followers would chronic office seeker, and ought to be not fill the ranks of a Corporals guard. elected, for there is nothing like occas-The same may be said of about all the ionally infusing a drop or two of new blood into politics and political offices. would-be great and shining lights who

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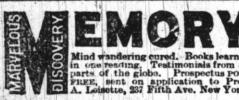
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CHAPTER XXVII.-TBEASON. Mab, who for the last hour or two had been thoughtful and taciturn, told us in a whisper to follow her silently, and if we were accosted by anybody not to answer. She did not want to be recognized. At the outskirts of the town she turned off into a by-path, and after walking about ten minutes, stopped at the door of a soli-

"Have you that letter?" she asked me. "Yes; here it is!"-giving it to her. "Wait here until I return;" and with that she opened the door and went in. "Whose house is it?" I asked Marian.

"Sybil's."

"Very old, isn't she?" "More than a hundred; she is the only person in the island who remembers Denzil Fane. She is very wise, and they say-" hesitating.

"Yes; what do they say?" "That she can read your thoughts by looking into your eyes, and tell your fortune by examining your hand."

"I suppose people are afraid of her?" "Awfully. They say she can kill with a glance, or, at least, work anybody who offends her grievous harm. But the queen fears her not, and Sybil likes her. Nobody else would dare go into Sybil's house unbidden. I would not for all the world."

We went on talking, or, rather, I let the girl go on chattering until the door opened a second time, and Mab, standing at the threshold, beckoned me to enter.

I obeyed, and, after passing through a sort of vestibule, found myself in a little low-ceiled room, dimly lighted by a swinging lamp. Under the lamp sat a tall old woman, with the most peculiar countenance I ever saw-and since I left Liverpool I had seen some very queer ones. A mass of snow-white hair covered her shoulders and fell down to her waist. Her powerful face was like a corrugated bronze mask: but her ears, her neck, and her eyelids were as white as her hair, and her little eyes glowed in their deep, sunken sockets like live coals.

Though rather startled, I did not feel much alarmed, and met the gaze of those burning eyes without flinching. "Let me see your hand," she said, after

staring at me a full minute. I showed her my hand, which she examined with great care, both back and front.

"He is the man!"-to Mab. Then turning to me-

You are an Englishman. The last Englishman I saw was Denzil Fane. He founded this commonwealth. You are its destined savior. You have done much already, yet your task has only just begun. But fortune and happiness await you. And now go, for there is danger in delay. Take with you the blessing of an old woman, and ask God for His. The peril is great, and so is the prize, and the omens are good."

"Come!" said Mab, giving me her hand; and we went out into the darkness. "Whither?" I asked.

"You will see. Quick! If we are late, harm may befalt."

She led the way, almost at a run, back Into the main road and up the hill, never pausing until we were in the middle of the great square. The Government House was lighted up, and before the entrance, which seemed to be guarded by armed men, was gathered the largest crowd I had yet seen in the island. But nobody recognized us—hardly noticed us, in fact; and giving the crowd a wide berth, we went round to the rear of the building, which we found silent and deserted. It was, however, easy for Mab, who knew all the ins and outs, to gain admittance, and we entered unperceived, by a wicket opening into a corridor which gave access to the great hall, where we could see all that went on without ourselves being seen.

Torches of resinous wood, stuck in brackets, threw a lurid light on a strange and picturesque scene. Fifty or sixty armed men, broken up into twos and threes, some walking rapidly to and fro, others violently gesticulating, are engaged in a discussion which evidently excites them to the utmost, but as all talk together it is not easy to distinguish what they say. Suddenly a side door opens, and Amyas Fane flings into the hall. He is followed by Oliver. Field, and other members of the Council of Nine.

The clamor ceases, and is succeeded by a silence so intense that we might have heard the dropping of the traditional pin. "I protest against this decision of the Council," exclaims Amyas, "They have actually dared to reject me, and nominate Oliver Fane as Queen Mab's successor. It is infamous. I am her legitimate successor. Her death makes me ipso facto protector of the commonwealth, and I will

maintain my rights against all comers." This declaration is followed by shouts of applause from several of his friends, who gather round him, as if for the purpose of giving him their moral support, and, if the need should arise, probably something

"You forget, Amyas," said Field, quietly, "that according to Denzil Fane's will and our constitution, the Council have a right of selection, and this right they have. by a unanimous decision, exercised in favor of your cousin Oliver."

'It is all a base intrigue. The right is obsolete, and I refuse to recognize it." "You set the Council at defiance, then?" "I treat their decision with contempt, if

that is what you mean; and I shall instantly declare myself protector, and appeal to the people for their support." "That is flat rebellion, and, as president of the Council, I order you under arrest." "You do, do you? And who will execute

your decree, I should like to know?" demands Amyas, insolently. "I will," says Oliver, stepping forward with dignity. "You had better submit

quietly, Amyas." 'Oh yes; very quietly"-drawing his sword, an example which is followed by

his partisans, among whom I perceived Bolsover, armed with cutlass and revolver. "Touch me at your peril!"

Oliver. Field, and the others also draw their swor.is.

"You are mad, Amyas. I ask you for the last time to submit," says Oliver, "if only for the sake of your deluded friends. You are the weaker party, and are sure to be worsted."

"Take that for your answer!" shouts Amyas, making a desperate lunge at his cousin. "Now, gentlemen, at them! We will soon see which is the weaker party."

And Queen Mab, who has glided unseen from her hiding-place, stands between the combatants, and with imperious gesture picted on every face, for all believe they may be serious—perhaps fatal."

see before them a visitant from the world of spirits.

"The 'Diana' went down in the stormand it did not seem possible-" stammers Amyas, in a voice so broken as to be hardly audible.

"How know you she went down? And. even though you had seen me perish, would that have been enough to justify you in setting the Council at defiance and provoking a civil war? Amyas Fane, you are a murderer, a traitor, and a dastard!" "Madame!"

"I repeat it; a murderer, a traitor, and a dastard. You cut the 'Diana' from her moorings in the hope that she would be carried out to sea, and that we who were on board would thereby perish. Don't they really shared the queen's confidence, deny it; I know you did. It was a murderous, a traitorous, and a dastardly deed. And you wrote this letter to Mr. Erle, virtually threatening him with death if he obeyed not your behest to leave the island within ten days, because, I suppose, you thought I had in him a brave and devoted friend, who, in case of need, would defend my person and defeat your plots! And so he has. Twice, nay, three times, has he saved my life. But for him I should not be here to-night."

To all this Amyas answers never a word. All his boldness has vanished; his knees bend under him, and he bows his head in shame and confusion.

"You have nothing to urge in your defense. You admit the truth of these charges. It is better so. Without adding perjury to your other sins, you could not deny them. Gentlemen, I appeal to you all-even to those of you who call yourselves his friends-what shall be done with this man, who virtually pleads guilty to a charge of actual treason and attempted murder? Pronounce his doom! It is not meet for me to be both accuser and judge."

The queen paused for a reply; but none liked to utter the word which was in every mind, and there ensued a painful silence that lasted for several minutes.

At length a white-haired member of the Council, who numbered more years than the century, broke the spell.

"This man deserves death," he said, slowly and deliberately; and the sentence was repeated by fifty voices. Not even the men who had been ready to fight for him had aught to urge in arrest of judg-

"Yes," said the queen, "he deserves death. But the prerogative of mercy is mine, and I freely pardon him, as I have a right to do, for his offense was against me personally. I pardon him, not because he is my kinsman, but because I believe that he is not wholly bad. He has been led away by pride, envy, and ambition; yet he has good qualities, and if opportunity be given him he will make reparation and redeem his honor. Another reason for sparing him is that we have need of him, as of every man who can wield a sword and Island, and I dare say by this time have crossed the creek-"

"The Cariberoes!" - "Impossible!" -'Who says so?" - "Has anybody seen them?" and a hundred other exclamations of incredulity, astonishment and doubt followed the queen's announcement, which cause almost as great a sensation as her

own re-appearance had done. "Is this really true, Mabel?" asked Field. when the clamor had somewhat subsided. 'I know you think so; but there is such a thing as being misinformed. Has anybody

actually seen the Cariberoes?" "Yes; we have seen them, been chased

lives." And then Mab told what had happened, from the beginning of our involuntary cruise on the "Diana" to our return to Fairhaven. This done, she continued—

"So, you see, that which we and our fathers had so long feared has at length come to pass. You may be quite sure that the braves we encountered are either the forerunners of a large force, perhaps two or three thousand strong, or that a large force has already landed on Swamp Island. At any rate, it is not safe to act on any other assumption. You know, too, that many of the Calibans, who are of their own blood, being greatly discontented (I/ fear not without reason), will certainly join them-have probably invited them to come over, for several of late have mysteriously disappeared; boats have also been missed. Hence the danger is very great, and unless it be nipped in the bud the consequences may be disastrous, nay, ruinous. It will not be enough merely to repel the invasion. We must crush the invaders if we would not be crushed ourselves. It will be a severe struggle, yet if we all pull together success is sure. What say you, Amyas; will you take part in the struggle. and endeavor, by loyalty and devotion, to win back your good name and my confi-

"Only give me the chance, and you shall

tain of my guard-that were unfair to better men; you must serve in the ranks as a common archer."

Amyas, who seemed deeply moved, bowed his head and kissed her hand.

"I am more than conquered," he said. "The life which I had forfeited and you have spared is yours, Queen Mab. Dispose. of me as you think best. I ask only an, opportunity to prove that I am not unworthy of your kindness and forgiveness. So help me God, I will serve you faithfully

"It only remains now," the quean went on, after a moment's consideration-"it only remains now to say who shall undertake the necessary preparations, organize

our small army, and command it in he field. To this office I appoint our guest, Mr. Sidney Erle. He holds the Queen of England's commission; he has been trained to arms. I can personally testify that he is brave, and as wise in council as he is prompt in action. It is a post of great difficulty and danger, nevertheless, although we can offer him little other reward than our gratitude, I am sure we may count on his loyalty and devotion."

CHAP. XXVIII.—BOLSOVER HIMSELF AGAIN. Astonishment was not the word. For the moment I was simply stricken dumo. The idea of my commanding an army of piebald warriors in the field seemed too absurd for credence. I could not believe that Mab was in earnest, and I was about

to tell her so, when she drew me aside. "I know all you are going to say," she said. "You would rather not; but for my

"I would do a great deal for your sake; but, really, you know, it is quite out of the question. I cannot conduct a war and command an army. You must find a much better man-"

"I cannot find one so good; not only so I cannot find one-now Amyas is in disgrace-under whom the others would be illing to serve, and serve heartily; but all bids them lower their weapons. The two would be proud to serve under a British leaders step back aghast, and terror is depicted on every face, for all believe they may be serious—perhaps fatal."

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"In that case- Let it be as you wish,

then. I can only do my best," "It is all I ask." And then, addressing the others, she said that, albeit I naturally hesitated somewhat to undertake so great a responsibility, I had decided, at her pressing request, to accept the command, and that if I was loyally supported she felt sure the result would be all they could desire. For her own part, she conferred on me the most ample powers; every measure which I advised must be adopted, every order I gave obeyed.

This speech was received with applause. and rather to my surprise, everybody seemed to be eminently satisfied, whether merely out of complaisance, or because I could not, of course, determine. But, after all, I did possess some qualifications for the post, I had served both in the volunteer artiflery and infantry, gone through a course of musketry instruction at Hythe, been brigaded with the regulars, and taken part in several autumn maneuvers and sham fights. I had, moreover, given some attention to strategy and the theory of war, and studied the plans of a good many battles, ancient and modern. All this was, of course, not enough to make me a general, but I had so far the advantage of everybody else in the island; and as the enemies we should have to encounter were only half-naked savages, I hoped that I should be equal to the occasion.

I began the work of organization at once and on the spot. The first necessity was a staff, and I hardly knew one man from another. I decided to appoint the best sharkfighters as my aids, and select from among them the superior officers of my army. I knew them to be fearless and resolute, and I thought they would prove apt and intelligent. The result justified my expectations.

The next thing was to ascertain upon how many men I could count, and I gave orders for the archer-guard, and every man in the neighborhood between eighteen and thirty-five, sound in wind, limb, and eyesight, to be mustered in the great square on the following afternoon.

Then I asked whether there were any maps of the island. Two or three were produced, which, though roughly drawn, were sufficient for my purpose. After studying them carefully, I asked Mr. Field who was the leading member of the administration) to send two fishing-boats, the fastest he could find, to the further end of the island, one by the north, the other by the south coast, to watch the movements of the enemy and make inquiries, under strict orders to return with all speed and report any information which they might be able to obtain.

Swift runners were to be dispatched on a similar errand to Weston's, Swamp Island Creek, Wynter's Hill, and elsewhere; and a series of relays organized, so that messages might be forwarded with the draw a bow. The Cariberoes are in Swamp | least possible delay, and, as a matter of fact, they were forwarded almost as quickly as they could have been by mail-carts or post-horses

By the time these dispositions were made it was very late, and as nothing more could be done until morning, we separated for

[To be Continued.] THE CENUS BOY. nations by Which His Various Ages

Are Classified.

The men of science, who spend much of their time in classifying the objects by them, and had to run and fight for our of the natural world, are not the only people who feel the need of a thorough classification in their most important affairs, say; the Youth's Companion. Unsystematic knowledge is only a kind of half-knowledge. There is classincation everywhere, and boys, it seems, are "classificationists" in their way as well as botanists and zoo'ogists.

'You say," said Mr. Brown to his son Jack, "that Mr. Perkins has a son in your school. How old a boy is

"Oh, he's only a young kid, papa." "A young kid! About how old is a 'young kid.' now?"

"Bout 6 or 7." "What is a boy after he gets done being a 'young kid?' " "Oh, then he gets to be a 'kid."

"What after that?" "Well, he's a 'kid' until he gets to be about 13, and then he's a 'young feller' if he's pretty big."

"None but good-sized boys can be 'young fellers,' eh?" "No, sir. Then they stay being 'young fellers' until they're about 19,

and then they're men." "Indeed! But how do you class them at the other end of the line? Are they always young kids' after they are ba-

bies? "Oh, no, sir. First they're 'cubs." "But I cannot allow you to remain cap- They don't get to be 'young kids' until

they get out of dresses.' But when," the father asked, growing more and more curious. "when is

a boy supposed to be a 'lad?' " "We don't have any lads nowadays, sir. We read about 'em in books, but

we don't have any. I've always wondered about how old a 'lad' was.' "But you have 'hoys,' surely?" "Oh, yes, sir. They are all boys, of course, until they get to be men. Only these are the different kinds of

boys. Though the father was amused by this classification and thought that some of the names were not quite elegant, he was compelled to admit that slang terms were used in the same connection when he was himself a hoy. He could remember how intensely he disliked to be addressed as "Bub" by his elders and how promptly he resented the application of that term to him-

self by any other boy.

He had heard boys in those days called "orats," "chits," "urchins," "youngsters," "younkers," and other such names. He acver resented being called a "youngster," and could even endure the word "brat;" but to be called "Bub"—especially when the person using the word seemed to fancy that he was honoring him-was an indignity which he found it hard to forget.

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Whether Known as Fiction, Fabrication, Subterfuge, Disguise, Romance, Evasiou, Pretence, Fable, Falsehood or Misrepresentation, White Lies or Black Lies, Untruth is Always Despicable and to be Avoided.

New York, March 22, 1891 .- "The Plague of Lies" was selected by Dr. Talmage for the subject of the fifth of his discourses on "The Plagues of These Three Cities," which he preached today. His text was Genesis 3, 4: "Ye shall not surely die." That was a point blank lie. Satan told

it to Eve to induce her to put her semicircle of white, beautiful teeth into a forbidden apricot, or plum, or peach, or apple. He practically said to her, "Oh, Eve! Just take a bite of this and you will be omnipotent and omniscient. You shall be as gods." Just opposite was the result. It was the first lie that was ever told in our world. It opened the gate for all the falsehoods that have ever alighted on this planet. It introduced a plague that covers all nations, the Plague of Lies. Far worse than the plagues of Egypt, for they were on the banks of the Nile, but this is on the banks of the Hudson, on the banks of the East River, on the banks of the Ohio, and the Mississippi, and the Thames, and the Rhine, and the Tiber. and on both sides of all rivers. The Egyptian plagues lasted only a few weeks, but for six thousand years has raged this Plague of Lies.

There are a hundred ways of telling a lie. A man's entire life may be a falsehood, while with his lips he may not once directly falsify. There are those who state what is positively untrue, but afterwards say "may be," softly. These departures from the truth are called "white lies," but there is no such thing as a white lie. The whiteest lie that was ever told was as black as perdition. No inventory of public crimes will be sufficient that omits this gigantic evil. There are men, high in church and state, actually useful, self-denying and honest in many things, who, upon certain subjects, and in certain spheres, are not at all to be depended upon for veracity. Indeed, there are many men and women who have their notions of truthfulness so thoroughly perverted that they do not know when they are lying. With many it is a cultivated sin; with some it seems a natural infirmity. I have known people who seemed to have been born liars. The falsehoods of their lives extended from the cradle to the grave. Prevarications, misrepresentation, and dishonesty of speech, appeared in their first utterances, and were as natural to them as any of their infantile diseases, and were a sort of moral croup or spiritual scarletina. But many have been placed in circumstances where this tendency has, day by day, and hour by hour, been called to larger development. They have gone from attainment to attainment, and from class to class, until they have become regularly graduated liars.

The air of the city is filled with falsehoods. They hang pendant from the chandeliers of our finest residences; they crowd the shelves of some of our merchant princes; they fill the sidewalk from curbstone to brown stone facing. They cluster around the mechanic's hammer, and blossom from the end of the merchant's yard stick, and sit in the doors of churches. Some call them "fiction." Some style them "fabrication." You might say that they were subterfuge, disguise, delusion, romance, evasion, pretence, fable, deception, misrepresentation; but, as I am ignorant of anything to be gained by the hiding of a God-defying outrage under a lexiocographer's blanket, I shall chiefly call them what my father taught me to call them-lies.

I shall divide them into agricultural, mercantile, mechanical, ecclesiastical and social lies.

Frst, then, I will speak of those that are more particularly agricultural. There is something in the perpetual presence of natural objects to make a man pure. The trees never issue "false stock." Wheat fields are always honest. Rye and oats never move out in the night, not paying for the place they have occupied. Corn shocks never make false assignments. Mountain brooks are always "current." The gold on the grain is never counterfeit. The sunrise never flaunts in false colors. The dew sports only genuine diamonds. Taking farmers as a class, l believe they are truthful and fair in dealing, and kind hearted. But the regions surrounding our cities do not always send this sort of men to our markets. Day by day there creak through our streets, and about the market houses, farm wagons that have not an honest spoke in their wheels, or a truthful rivet from tongue to tail board. During the last few years there have been times when domestic economy has foundered on the farmer's firkin. Neither high taxes, nor the high price of dry goods, nor the exorbitancy of labor, could excuse much that the city has witnessed in the behavior of the yeomanry. By the quiet firesides in Westchester and Orange counties, I hope there may be seasons of deep reflection and hearty repentance. Rural districts are accustomed to rail at great cities as given up to fraud and every form of unrighteousness; but our cities do not absorb all the abominations. Our citizens have learned the importance of not always trusting to the size and style of apples in the top of a farmer's barrel as an indication of what may be found farther down. Many of our people are accustomed to watch and see hew correctly a bushel of beets is measured; and there are not many honest milk cans.

Deceptions do not all cluster around city halls. When our cities sit down and weep over their sins, all the surrounding countries ought to come in and weep with them. There is often hostility on the part of the producers against traders, as though the man who raises the corn was necessarily more honorable than the grain dealer, who pours it into his mammoth bin. There ought to be no such hostility. Yet producers often think it no wrong to snatch away from this trader; and they say to the bargain-maker, "You get your money asy." Do they get it easy? Let those who in the quiet field and barn get their living exchange places with those who stand today amid the excitements of commercial life and see if they find it so very easy. While the farmer goes to sleep with the assurance that his corn and barley will be growing all the night, moment by moment adding to his revenues, the merchant tries to go to sleep, conscious that that moment his cargo may be broken on the rocks, or damaged by the wave that sweeps clear across the hurricane deck; or that reckless speculators, that very hour, be plotting

contains all his estates. Easy! Is it? God help the merchants! It is hard to have the palms of the hands blistered with out-door work; but a more dreadful process when, through mercantile anxieties, the brain is

In the pext place we notice mercantile lies, those before the counter and behinthe counter. I will not attempt to specify the different forms of commercial false hood. There are merchants who excuse themselves for deviation from truthfulness because of what they call commercia custom. In other words, the multiplica tion and universality of a sin turns it into a virtue. There have been large fortunes gathered where there was not one drop of unrequited toil in the wine; not one spark of bad temper flashing from the bronze bracket; not one drop of needle-woman's heart-blood in the crimson plush; while there are other great establishments in which there is not one door-knob, not on brick, not one trinket, not one thread of lace, but has upon it the mark of dishonor. What wonder if, some day, a hand of toil that had been wrung, and worn out, and blistered until the skin came off, should be placed against the elegant wall-paper leaving its mark of blood-four fingers and a thumb; or that, some day, walking the halls, there should be a voice accosting the occupant, saying, "Six cents for making a shirt;" and, flying the room, another voice should say, 'Twelve cents for an army blanket;" and the man should try to sleen at night, but ever and anon be aroused until getting up on one elbow, he should shilek out, "Who's there?"

A merchant can, to the last item, be thoroughly honest. There is never any need of falsehood. Yet how many will, day by day, hour by hour, utter what they know to be wrong. You say that you are selling at less than cost. If so, then it is right to say it. But did that cost you less than what you ask for it? If not, then you have falsified. You say that that article cost you twenty-five dollars. Did it? If so, then all right, If it did not, then you have falsified. Suppose you are a purchaser. You are beating down the goods. You say that that article for which five dollars is charged, is not worth more than four. Is it worth no more than four dollars? Then all right. If it be worth more, and for the sake of getting it for less than its value, you wilfully depreciate it, you have falsified. You may call it a sharp trade. The recording angel writes it down on the ponderous tomes of eternity-"Mr. So and So, merchant on Water street, or in Eighth street, or in State street; or Mrs. So and So, keeping house on Beacon street, or on Madison avenue, or Rittenhouse square, or Brooklyn heights or Brooklyn hill, told one false-

hood." In the next place, I notice mechanical lies. There is no class of men who admin ister more to the welfare of the city than artisans. To their hand we must look for the building that shelters us, for the garments that clothe us, and for the car that carries us. They wield a wide-spread influence. There is much derision of what is called "Muscular Christianity;" but in the latter day of the world's prosperity, I think that the Christian will be muscular. We have a right to expect of those stalwart men of toil the highest possible integrity. Many of them answer all our expectations, and stand at the front of religious and philanthropic enterprises. But this class,

like the others that I have named, has in who lack in the veracity. They cannot all be trusted. In times when the demand for labor is great, it is impossible to meet the demands of the public, or do the work with that promptness and perfection that would at other times be possible. But there are mechanics whose word cannot be trusted at any time. No man has a right to promise more work than he can do. There are mechanics who say they will come on Monday, but they do not come until Wednesday. You put work in their hands that they tell you shall be completed in ten days, but it is thirty. There have been houses built of which it might be said that every nail driven, every foot of plastering put on, every yard of pipe laid, every shingle hammered, every brick mortared, could tell of falsehood connected therewith. There are men attempting to do ten or fifteen pieces of work who have not the time or strength to do more than five or six pieces; but by promises never fulfilled keep all the undertakings within their own grasp. This is what they call "nursing"

the job. I next notice ecclestical lies; that is, falsehoods told for the purpose of advancing churches and sects, or for the purpose of depleting them. There is no use in asking many a Calvinist what an Arminian believes, for he will be apt to tell you that the Arminian believes that a man can convert himself; or to ask the Arminian what the Calvinist believes, for he will tell you that the Calvinist believes that God made some men just to damn them. There is no need of asking a pædo-Baptist what a Baptist believes, for he will be apt to say that the Baptist believes immersion to be positively necessary to salvation. It is almost impossible for one denomination of Christians, without prejudice or misrepresentation, to state the sentiment of an opposing sect. If a man hates Presbyterians, and you ask him what Presbyterians believe, he will tell you that they believe there are infants in hell a span long!

To many, through insincerity, this life s a masquerade ball. As, at such entertainments, gentlemen and ladies appear in the dress of kings or queens, mountain bandits, or clowns, and at the close of the dance throw off their disguises, so, in this dissipated life, all unclean passions move in mask. Across the floor they trip merrily. The lights sparkle along the wall, or drop from the ceiling-a cohort of fire! The music charms. The diamonds glitter. The feet bound. Gemmed hands stretched out clasp gemmed hands. Dancing feet respond to dancing feet. Gleaming brow bends to gleaming brow. On with the dance! Flash and rustle, and laughter. and immeasurable merry-making! But the languor of death comes over the limbs, and blurs the sight. Lights lower! Floor hollow with sepulchral echo. Music saddens into a wail. Lights lower! The maskers can hardly now be seen. Flowers exchange their fragrance for a sickening oder, such as comes from garlands that have lain in vaults of cemeteries. Lights lower! Mists fill the room. Glasses rattle as though shaken by sullen thunder. Sighs seem caught among the curtains. Scarf falls from the shoulder of beauty-a shroud! Lights lower! Over the slippery boards, in dance of death, glide jealousies, disappointments, lust, despair. Torn leaves and withered garlands only half hide the tired ulcered The stench of smoking lamp wicks almost quenched. Choking damps. Chilliness. Feet still. Hands Eyes shut. Voices Lights out!

Dr. Waldstein, the American archæologist at Athens, referring to the reports of the discovery of the grave of Aristotle,

A Brutal Parent. "No, Augustus, wrote a kind and indulgent parent to his son at college," I cannot grant your request. I have already cashed your drafts for the breechloading shot-gun, the Indian clubs, the \$300 racing she!!, the dumb-bells, the bicycle, the sailing yacht, boxing gloves, sand-bags, fencing folls, and the silvermounted revolver. But I cannot pay for the gambling implements which you suggest. I draw the line at faro chips."

The New Occupation. "That man's face is familiar to me," said the wife of the railroad president, referring to an employe of the road who

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Another night I drove amain

With imps and demons in my train Intent on being funny; And I wouldn't dream that dream again For any amount of money. Josephine Pollard, in Harper's Young

Through fields that were not sunny,

COL. BENTHAM'S REVENGE

Col. Bentham had been perplexed. He had not felt quite sure whether he was in love or not. He had had an idea that he was not in love, but was only obeying the motive which had made him adopt Eva Tibaldi, educate her in Europe, give her that training of her voice which had equipped her (in case opportunity were given) for success on the stage) and bring her finally to live in his home in New York. This motive had been revenge.

The colonel is now in his sanctum. his library and smoking-room. Imagine a tall, fashionably dressed man, not yet 40. His hair is blonde, but the pale, massive features of his face are neither effeminate nor coarse. The deep-set eyes of very pale blue are piercing, and the jaw a little square. There seems a want of emotion in the thin lips. Certainly the colonel wears the stamp of a strong, passionate nature (for passion and emotion are not one), with a spirit of rage bordering on cruelty as its substratum. A nameless refinement, almost fastidiousness, an ease of mauner, a power of courteous words, are among the colonel's most obvious traits. The men he meets at his club think him pleasant, the women whom he sometimes chats with and compliments say he is delightful. How then can the ruling spirit of his life be revenge?

It is pretty late to-night and yet the colonel never seemed more wideawake, more alert. He is waiting for a ring at the door. Eva had gone to the Metropolitan opera-house under charge of his sister-his dear, silverhaired Penelope. They are to hear the famous singers of the year, some of whom Eva met at Florence in her old musical days. The colonel detests opera, as he detests the whole singing profession. Yet it is only carrying out his plan and purpose that Eva should delight in music, in order that she may resemble her sister all the more and be made passionate and impressible as was her sister.

moment. He rises from the soft, away and gives me my revenge instead. has been sitting, and draws aside a there is a hell on earth," and here his curtain which looks like a narrow portiere. It discloses an easel, and set upon it is a full-length picture of a lady in pink-a lady whose skin eclipses in clearness the tint so often fatal to beauty, and whose eyes are at once shadowy, profound, and penetrating-eyes too dangerous to look upon for long.

It is not, however, a long time since the colonel has looked upon them. Yet he has never seen them for the last fifteen years without feeling a tightness at the heart, as if he had received a blow which not only pained him. but which some strange barrier prevented him from returning. And mingled with this bitterest of bitter mental pangs there has been a kind of regret, or sorrow, bordering on tenderness, which might some day, long, long ago, have been love.

The colonel had loved the woman of that portrait. And she-well, she had gone the way of many women. A singer, gifted as herself, had enticed her from her intended husband and had married her. Two years later the woman had died of a broken heart, leaving her little sister without a

Then the colonel did two things. First of all he went to the painter to whom the dead diva in her palmy days of luxury had given many sittings, and ordered a full-length portrait of Marietta Tibaldi. This picture he had set up, on the very easel on which it had been painted, in his own private room. Then a curtain was hung over it, as he had seen done with some European altar-pieces. Like a priest before a shrine would he stand and gaze upon this radiant, laughing, and triumphant image of virginal loveliness and power. The second thing he did was to obtain from the drunken tenor the legal right of an adoptive father over the child Eva.

The indulgence of any great passion. even envy hatred, or regret, becomes eventually a source of intense delight, and the more so the more this indulgence is imaginative and intellectual. Col. Bentham, up to the present time, after gazing upon this portrait, would tremble and grow pale, his brow would gather a scowl, his hands would become clinched. But this excitement us!" had sprung not from love but from hatred; his had been a worship composed of rage and execration conscious of their impotence, yet feeding on a vision of a future revenge.

There was a knock at the door of the Colonel's room. His sister entered. Her purturbed manner contrasted with the calm, serene air of her brother. Penelope seemed to have been cry-

to-night, sister," said Bentham smi!- would split his sides."-Arkansaw ingly, and following her eyes as they Traveler.

turned to the portrait. "I am a new man, and can look upon it with indifference now."

"What do you mean, brother?" nsked Penelope, disengaging from her shoulder the black lace shawl, and nervously drawing off her gloves, as if to delay the discharge of some unpleasant duty.

"I mean that I have exchanged hatred for forgiveness. These many years I have planned a deliberate revenge for a cruel wrong that had been done me. For this purpose I kept Eva ignorant of her own history. It was my wish to make the sister of Marietta love me, and feel that only in me could she live and be happy. I educated her in refinement and luxury, and in the most emotional form of art; I met her every wish, gratified her idlest whim. Then, when her love for me should be ripe, when she should have consented to be my wife, and looked forward to being cherished, honored, and protected by me, I intended bringing her face to face with this picture, enchantress with enchantress, the innocent with the guilty, and telling that I hated her bccause of the treachery of her sister whom she so marvelously resembled. I purposed after this turning her out of my house with a bare pittance to

Penelope shuddered, but not at the words of the colonel. She looked curiously at his face, which was radiant with fresh and tender light.

"I have relented," said the colonel. 'Last night her beauty broke down my resolve and she triumphed over me by admitting with happy tears that she loved me. And now, Penelope, I wish to see her before she retires tonight, so that in your presence-"

Penelope grew white-whiter and more haggard than she was when she entered the room. She rose and laid her hand upon his arm. "Brother," she said in a sort of a whisper. "Eva is not at home."

The colonel turned quickly and his eyes widened with surprise, "Surely she is not out alone?" he gasped almost emphatically.

"She has left us! This note was given to me at the carriage door; she must have slipped off as we passed through the foyer."

Bentham with a hasty movement took the fragment of paper.

"Soldigno, the tenor-I know him," he said calmly, dropping the note to the ground, 'and every capital in Europe knows him. Well. Fortune is a woman and a perverse one. I asked for revenge and she sent me a dream of love and peace; and now that I ac-He is thinking of her sister at this | cept it as my destiny, she snatches it leather-covered easy chair where he I will not quarrel with her; for if face changed with a gleam of almost exultation, "Soldigno will provide it for the woman that loves him."-Epiphanius Wilson in the Epoch.

PROGRESS OF MINISTERS.

Those with Large Congregations Stand Still Intellectually.

"Farmton" says in the Advance: I like to study the development of ministers, or the failure of ministers to develop. A good many ministers I meet not oftener than once a year. Such infrequency of meeting gives better ground for testing the progress of ministers than a frequent meeting. I have been struck by what seems to me to be the failure of ministers to develop in mind and heart. I find that several of them do not now speak as well as they spoke five or eight years ago. This decline, I think, is more common among ministers of large churches than of small; more common among ministers that have large relations with the public than among those who live more private lives. I infer, therefore, that the minister whose services are diverse and frequent has a much harder task to develop himself than the minister whose labor is more secluded. If I were to utter a word of warning to any of the popular preachers of the time, it would be, 'Your intellect will go to pieces upon the rock of popularity. At fifty-five, when you ought to be in your prime and still growing, you will be in your decline, if you do not give heed to yourself.' '

Learning the Business.

Dealer-Vat happen to dis hat? Small son-I vas snappin' it vif my vingers, like you do, to zhow a gustomer vat good stuff it vas, and it

"Mine Cootness! You havn't got prains enough to sell beanuts. Ven you snap a hat to zhow it can't pe proke, you must keep vun hand inside. so it not break."-New York Weekly.

The Absorbing Aborigne. "Then," said Mr. Tenderfoot, thrillingly, describing his western adventures, "The Indians stole upon

"And what did thdy do?" breathlessly asked a friend. "Then they gradually stole everything else!"-New York Herald.

Made a Dog Laugh.

"That article you had in last week's paper was the funniest thing I ever read," said a lady to an editor.

"I am glad to hear you say so." "Oh, not at all. It would make a "You needn't mind the picture dog laugh. I thought my husband

Fidelity. tlert? When the hills do Falter? When the sun Question if his glors

Be the perfect one. Surfeit? When the daffodil Doth of the dew; Even as herself, O, friend! I will of you!

-EMILY DICKINSON. Curtailing Expenses. Wife-I am a going to economize in our charlie (kissing ber fondly)—What s

dear little wifey you are. Wife (continuing)-Yes, I've discharged the servant girl and hired a Chinaman. Husband-But where does the economy

Wife-Why, the kisses you were obliged to pay her for you can get from me for

More Mending to Do.

Convert (who has but recently espoused the faith and has just "busted" his suspenders)—Dang the dinged luck! Minister (who happens to overhear the remark)—Tut, tut, man, you mustn't

swear-I thought you had mended your Convert (confusedly) - So I have, parson, so I have; an I now I've got to mend these dinged suspen lers.

Not a Hard Hint to Take.

Mr. Faintheart-Are you fond of champagne. Miss Rosa? Miss Rosa-Moderately so, but what I most admire about a boutle of champagne is the cork

Mr. F.-Indeed! and for what reason. Miss R.—Oh, merely because it pops so delightfully.

Probably Not.

Minister (to chronic toper, who is leaning up against a fence)—Uncle John, where do you suppose you will go when you die, if you continue to get drunk like

Uncle John (thickly)—If I can't go any better'n I can now, I shan't go (hic) any-

Bondage. "What, going home now? It's only five o'clock.

"We have dinner at six sharp, you "You must be terribly afraid of your wife."

"Wife's all right. It's my cook." Not in It.

She-Who do you think is the prettiest girl in the room? He-Oh, I don't know. That little brunette over on the sofa, I guess. And then the stupid fellow wondered all the rest of the evening why her manner toward him suddenly grew so cold.

What He Needed. Miss Hill-I saw you got a favorable notice in the dramatic column of the Daily

Forum this morning. Mr. Barrett-Yes; I sent a bottle of liver medicine to the dramatic critic when my manager sent him tickets for the per-

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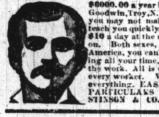
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