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CURRENT EVENTS.

Owing to the prevalence of gambling among the college boys at the late regatta on Saratoga Lake, the boys of Yale and Harvard, it is said, will return to the old custom of exclusiveness and row apart, leaving the other colleges to their own resources. Morrissey's club house was overrun with half drunk and gaming students during the recent regatta.

CABLE dispatches announce the death of Rev. Athanase Josue Coquerel, a distinguished Protestant clergyman of France. The deceased was a native of Holland, having been born in Amsterdam in 1800. He was very prominent in the religious world, and his expression of views in relation to Renan's "Life of Jesus," resulted in the suspension of his functions by the Consistory of Paris. He, however, resumed his duties, and in 1862 he was decorated with the cross of the Legion of Honor. Ten years later he spent some time in a preaching and lecturing tour in the United States. He came as a delegate to the Evangelical Alliance in 1873, and returned upon the ill-fated Ville du Havre, being one of the few survivors of that terrible ocean disaster.

A curious story has been raked up among the old accounts in the War Department, showing how a clerical error had a tragic result. An officer during the war was wrongfully charged with a defalcation amounting to $1,600, and, being unable to readily demonstrate his innocence, he committed suicide. The balance, erroneously made out against him was placed in favor of another officer, who, knowing it to be a mistake, caused the matter to be hunted up. The result is a *post-mortem* vindication of the man who preferred death to undeserved disgrace. The story is interesting by reason of its three unusual incidents,—the clerk's fatal error, the suicide from such a cause, and the living officer's refusal to accept money which was believed to belong to him.

PRUSSIA has celebrated the two hundredth anniversary of the battle of Fehrbellin, which took place June 18, 1675. The battle was between the army of Brandenburg (now Prussia) numbering 9,500 men, commanded by the Elector, Frederick William, and the Swedish army, of 15,000 men, under Wrangel. The Prussian line was beat on back. Then the great elector said: "Take me as your Captain, not your Sovereign," drew his sword, and charged at the head of his troops. That charge decided the day. The Swedes soon fell back. Their famous commander, Wrangel, was captured. Brandenburg leapt into sudden prominence among European powers, and Prussia was born into the family of nations. At the recent celebration, the Crown Prince laid the corner stone of a monument to the "great Elector," to be erected on the field of Fehrbellin.

IT astonishes the traveler to find that the railway managements of England are so averse to discarding the old-fashioned, abominable class coaches, substituting the handsome and convenient cars in use on American roads. If the press of England would make proper use of the adventure which occurred a short time ago, when Col. Baker, of the 10th regiment of Hussars attempted an outrage upon a Miss Dickinson, in one of these closed compartments, which seem specially made for the commission of crime, the custom would soon be abandoned, and cars would be introduced. A closed compartment, where one feels secure from interruption for a given number of miles, offers inducements for crime which ought to be removed. In this country such a palpable wrong upon the traveling public wouldn't be permitted for a day.

MODERATE bodily exercise is as absolutely necessary to health as mental. But experimenting with the body or brain to test the utmost pressure that can be borne without breaking down under the weight, is simply wicked. There is no better exercise to harden the muscles and build up the frame than steady, systematic walking. What foolishness, however, possesses the minds of some of these professional pedestrians, who seem determined to almost kill themselves in showing what prodigies of endurance they are. Boston has now the honor of having within its borders a Springfieldian, who imagines that it will bring to himself undying glory if he succeeds in walking 1,102 miles in 1,102 hours. He has already made 900 miles. If he can just drag himself through the other 202 miles and come out alive, what laurels will be his! This is his reported condition:

His pulse beats at ninety-four, with respiration at eighteen; he is very nervous, and shakes badly while walking. He seems to be suffering with palpitation of the heart, and his attending physician says he must be kept very quiet, and none must talk to him while he is walking. He sleeps so soundly that firearms are discharged to rouse him for his hourly task. Donahue's courage is good, and "win or die" seems to be his motto.

A PRIVATE investigation into affairs in the U. S. Marshall's office for the western district of Arkansas, made by the Attorney-General, some startling criminal statistics are brought to light. The district embraces only about 100,000 inhabitants, of whom two-thirds are Indians and the remainder negroes and whites. They are mostly fugitives from justice, and totally disregard property rights. Horse stealing and other crime is a regular business of many, while murders are committed for $2 or $3 in money or a pair of shoes. At the last May term of court, there were eight convicted of murder and seven of manslaughter, and eight cases of murder continued to the next term. There are thirty-eight indictments in the court for murder of parties not yet arrested, and seventy-two United States Commissioners' writs in the hands of the Marshal for parties who are charged with murder and not yet indicted, making a fearful total of 133 known homicides.

FLASHES OF NEWS.

Washington.

THE postmaster-general has recently made an important change in regard to the special agents of the postoffice department by creating districts, with a chief at the principal city of each, to whom the special agents located in the different states constituting the division report. The northwestern division comprises the states of Wisconsin, Illinois, Michigan, Indiana, Minnesota and Iowa. Hon. U. R. Hawley has been placed in charge of this district, with headquarters at Chicago.

THE attorney-general is considering the infamous Chorpenning claim, and will soon deliver ... of the claim.

THE postmaster-general has commenced confiscating certified checks of failing mail contractors. On the 20th there were confiscated to the use of the government three certified checks amounting to $1,639, deposited according to law by Matthew Draper, a failing contractor, accompanying his bid on route 30,096. This is the first instance in which the department has confiscated such checks.

THE President, it is said, has recalled his request for the resignation of Judge Fisher, District Attorney of the District of Columbia.

AVERY, chief clerk of the Treasury Department, has been indicted for complicity in the St. Louis whisky ring frauds.

A BOARD of army officers will sit in Washington ... to examine candidates for appointment as second lieutenants in the army.

THE new postal card is nearly ready for distribution. It is made of much better paper than the old card, and is plainer, having no border.

THE President has appointed T. C. Wellweber, of Dubuque, Iowa, Minister to Equador, S. A.

The East.

THE Connecticut House of Representatives by a vote of 82 to 102 indefinitely postponed the bill giving women the right to vote at presidential elections. The advocates of the measure regard the large vote in their favor as a greater victory than any action heretofore in any other state, and consider it quite a triumph for their cause that the committee's report was unanimously in favor of the bill.

THE committee of the Bankers' Convention at Saratoga, reported resolutions: first, favoring immediate resumption and of as long upon every citizen to hasten the day when every promise of the Government to pay a dollar should be redeemed in coin; second, calling for the repeal of the war tax on banks; third, urging Congress to issue coupon bonds in exchange for registered bonds of the same; fourth, demanding the abolishment of the two-cent stamp on checks and vouchers; fifth, favoring a permanent organization of all banks.

JESSE POMEROY, the Boston boy murderer, has written an account of his life. He retracts his former confessions, and denies that he is guilty.

THE Supreme Court of Connecticut has decided the local option figure of the license law constitutional.

THE Special Commission appointed to investigate Prof. Marsh's charges in relation to the Indian frauds, held a preliminary meeting in New York. Prof. Marsh presented his charges in pamphlet form, which have already been printed. The investigation will take place at the Red Cloud Agency.

THE corner-stone of the new church edifice of the First German Evangelical Church was laid in Pittsburg, last Sunday week, with imposing ceremonies, in presence of several thousand spectators. The church is one of historic associations, being the oldest, and one of the wealthiest in the city. It was founded 1772, and received its original charter from William Penn.

THEY have struck a vein of gas near Portsmouth, Ohio, and the well gives a steadily burning jet 10 feet high, sufficient to supply the entire city with gas. The vein was struck 1,000 feet from the surface.

CHAS. O'CONOR has written a scathing review of the opinion of the New York court of appeals releasing Tweed. It is possible that the opinion will be used as a pretext for impeaching the court.

The West.

THE Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe R. R. Co. have purchased the Midland railroad. The latter road is being repaired. The company have also secured a lease of the Carbondale road, from Desoto to Lawrence, and Kansas City will be the eastern terminus of the line, Atchison, the old terminus, falling to a second place. The trains will be run from St. Louis over the Missouri Pacific to Pueblo, Colorado, as soon as the western end of the road is completed.

SEVEN HUNDRED AND SIXTY Mormons, en route for Salt Lake, passed through Omaha, a few days ago.

A COUNCIL has been had with the Pintes and Ogallallas. They desire a general council to be held at Shadron Creek, midway between Spotted Tail and Red Cloud agencies, on September first, and positively refuse to go to the Missouri river. They will aid in bringing the Northern Sioux and Cheyennes. A young chief has gone to bring in the North Sioux.

THE yield of wheat in Dakota will average 25 bushels to the acre, and aggregate 7,000,000 bushels in the territory, or 150 bushels to each inhabitant.

EMELINE, one of Brigham Young's numerous wives, died a few days ago.

CONSIDERABLE excitement exists in Grand Rapids, Mich., over the discovery of gold on the land of G. T. Stevens, of Grand Rapids township, in a ravine. The discovery was made by an old California miner, named Fairbanks. It is as yet impossible to make an estimate of the amount of gold that the ravine contains, but in all probability there will be a sufficient quantity to pay for working.

The South.

THE following cotton exchanges were represented in the cotton convention, recently held: Mobile, Charleston, Savannah, New Orleans, Memphis, Baltimore, Houston, Selma, Montgomery, Norfolk, Augusta, Nashville, Wilmington, Charlotte, Cincinnati, St. Louis, New York, Philadelphia, Athens, Galveston, and Louisville. The total number of delegates is between 90 and 100, of which New Orleans has the most, 14; Savannah, New York, and Memphis being next in order.

THE thirty-seventh annual session of the Odd Fellows grand lodge of Louisiana has just concluded its labors at New Orleans.

AT Austin, Texas, this year the peach crop is so prolific that limbs of the trees are frequently broken off by the weight of the fruit.

THE reports that yellow fever is prevailing at Norfolk, Va., are denied by U. S. officers stationed there.

REV. DR. SHIPMAN, of Louisville, Ky., who was elected bishop of the diocese of Fond du Lac, Wis., has written a letter declining the position.

THE Baltimore American has been sued for libel by the governor, treasurer and auditor of Maryland, for remarks on their action as members of the board of public works. They claim $60,000 damages.

Foreign.

ALEXANDER and William Collie, bankrupt London merchants have been sent to Newgate. There are nine million in fraudulent bills of the firm outstanding.

HEAVY rains have occurred in the inland counties of England, and inundations are reported at Leicester, Greenfield, the Forest of Dean and Godmanchester. In many places the gathered and growing crops have been destroyed, and railways are interrupted in all directions.

AT Munich, the Ultramontane Baron Loe, has been sentenced to six months' imprisonment for a treasonable speech made by him in October, 1873, and Herr Sigl, editor of the Ultramontane journal Vaterland, ... to prison to serve out a ten months' sentence for treasonable utterances.

RUSSIA and Germany, it is said, intend to grant military furloughs on a large scale next year, thus indicating that the alliance recently entered into is worth something.

AT the Wimbledon shooting match, Fulton, of the American team, won the great St. Leger sweepstakes cup. Gildersleeve took the second of the Albert prize, and ... Bodine ... Halford winning the first.

LADY JANE FRANKLIN, widow of the Arctic explorer, died on the 19th.

RETURNS of the Bavarian elections indicate that the Electoral College will consist of seventy-seven Liberals and seventy-nine Ultramontanes.

OF the functionaries invited to the London Lord Mayor's international banquet the following have signified their acceptance: The Prefects of the Seine, of Pas de Calais, and of the Police of Paris; the Mayors of Calais, Bordeaux, Geneva, Rome, Turin, Florence, Christiana, Boston and Quebec; and the Burgomasters of Brussels, Antwerp and Amsterdam. Seventeen have not yet answered, and twenty-two have declined, including all the Germans invited.

Crimes and Casualties.

THE business portion of Bastrop, Texas, was destroyed by fire on the night of the 20th.—A $50,000 fire at Old Orchard, Me., destroyed the Old Orchard House, Music Hall and other buildings.

MR. J. R. DAVIS, of the firm of William Helphinstine & Co., of the Indian Creek Coal Mine, at Bicknell Station, Knox county, Ind., committed suicide by taking morphine, at Indianapolis. The cause was strong drink.

THE chief engineer and nine firemen of Cincinnati, were seriously injured by the falling of the walls of a building during a fire a few nights ago.

SOME days ago Mrs. Merritt, wife of Col. Merritt, U. S. A., was enticed on board a tugboat, in New York harbor, and Mike Norton and Groezby outraged her. The two men were to-day arrested on suspicion, and the police expect to get the others, there being five altogether.

BY the capsizing of a row boat in the harbor at Toledo, a young man named Bennett Georgia and his sister Rosa, aged respectively 23 and 25, were drowned. The bodies were recovered.

AN Iowa criminal, named William Werk, sent to the penitentiary for ten years for the crime of rape, has become insane, and been removed to the State Asylum.

A LADY named Miss Ida Huff was struck by lightning and instantly killed, at the door of her father's house, in Mercer county, Ky., a few days ago.

MRS. DURKEE, who attempted to shoot Dr. A. W. Thompson, at Northampton, Mass., was brought before the Judge at Thompson's instigation, for commission to the lunatic hospital. Thompson's counsel announced, however, that he would not press the petition, and the woman was discharged.

IN the Indian territory, Judge Bushyhead was recently murdered while on his way to the Court House. His head was cut off and hid, and has not yet been found. Eight or ten murders have occurred in the territory quite recently.

DR. HATTON, of Pottawattamie county, Kansas, was shot and dangerously wounded a few days ago, by a farmer named Mcwhirter, who charged the doctor with malpractice on the farmer's wife.

Sporting.

FULTON, of the American rifle team, won the Wimbledon challenge cup, making a score of 133, in a possible 150.

ON the second day of the Dexter Park races, the purse for 2:34 horses was divided among four, and eight started. Young Magna won, Frank Reeves second, Anglo-Saxon third, Kitty Stratton fourth. Time, 2:23½, 2:31½, 2:29, 2:29½.

THE usual news from the Chicago ball club, comes from Hartford: Here in a game of base-ball the Hartfords scored 4, and the Chicagos 1. The playing was generally fair, but in a few cases the Chicagos acted like muffins.

THE Tennessee Sportsmen's Association held a three days' tournament at Memphis, commencing on the 25th. The prizes given aggregated $1,500.

THE Red Wing (Minn.,) boys imported a New York professional oarsman and beat St. Paul in the recent regatta. Smart.

AT the Sportsman's Tournament at Syracuse, N. Y., the contest between the Chicago Gun Club and a team from the Onondaga and Central City Sportsmen's Club resulted in 136 birds being killed by the Syracuse team out of 160, and 238 by the Chicago team.

GAME of cricket took place at Philadelphia on the 19th, between the St. George's club, of Canada, and the Germantowns, of Philadelphia. The former won by a score of 128 to 79.

MOUNTAIN MEADOW.

Testimony of One of the Principal Actors in the Massacre.

The first witness in the trial of Lee and Dame for complicity in the massacre at Mountain Meadow, seventeen years ago, of over one hundred emigrant women and children, was Philip Klingen Smith, a Bishop in the Mormon Church. Smith swears that the horrible affair was instigated by the Mormon leaders, and that Mormon troops commanded by John D. Lee carried out the orders, by enticing the entrenched emigrants under a flag of truce to lay down their arms and leave their entrenchments, when they were shot down in cold blood. Lee himself carried the flag of truce into the emigrant camp, and gave the signal for firing on the defenceless party of men, women and children. The effects of the murdered people were afterward taken to the church tithing house, and there sold at auction for the benefit of the church. The massacre was reported to Brigham Young, who ordered Lee to dispose of the property, and advised all concerned to cease talking of the affair even among themselves. The witness Smith had a subordinate position under Lee in the Mormon legion who perpetrated the awful crime, and participated therein.

Another witness testified to seeing the Bodies of the murdered emigrants laying in piles by the roadside fifteen days after the massacre.

Other witnesses corroborated the above, and the whole evidence goes to show that the massacre was not only ordered by the Mormon church authorities, but that their stock and effects were devoted to the uses of the church.

AN English tourist who recently started alone to ascend to the summit of Mount Snowdon, in Wales, is missing. He is supposed to have sunk in a quicksand on the edge of a lake near his path on descending the mountain.

Going Out with the Tide.

Raise me up in my bed, wife,
There's the sound of the sea in my ear;
And it sings to my soul in a music
That earth is not blessed to hear.
Open the little window, wife,
Then come and sit by my side;
We'll wait God's sweet flood-water
To take me out with the tide.

I see the harbor-bar, wife,
And my dear little boat in the bay;
But who shall be able to guide her
When her master hath passed away?
I know that her helm, so trusty,
Will answer no other hand
As it answered mine, when I knew, wife,
You were waiting for me on the strand.

Our boys are al' before us, wife;
Wee Jack is beneath the wave,
And blue-eyed Freddie sleeps, wife,
In yonder yew-bowered grave,
Where the early daisies cluster
Around his baby bed,
And the thrush sits chanting softer
In yon tree that shades the dead.

There's a chill runs through our hearts, wife,
When the harbor-bar doth moan;
But a darker grief will be yours, wife,
When you're left in the cot alone;
But a few more lives at the sea, wife,
And a few more ebbs of the tide,
Then God's sweet flood shall bring you
Again to your old man's side.

There's no ... in the west, wife,
And the tide sinks down with the sun;
We will part with each other in love, wife,
For sweetly our lives have run.
Give me your hand, my own love,
As you gave it in days of yore;
We will clasp them, never to be sundered,
When we meet on the far-off shore!

THE SETTLER'S TRAGEDY.

BY THE AUTHOR OF "GINX'S BABY."

"Yes; that's a queer lookin' place, now, ain't it? It's the best piece of land you've seen anywhere in this day's drive, and that's a good deal to say, and likewise, it was once the prettiest farm along this road. Why, sir, I mind the time when that porch was all a glory with roses, like a 'ouse in hopera bouffe for all the world. An' right hin the front there, where you see all them docks an' mullen a growin', that was chock full o' beds of Lunnun pride, an' chinay asters, an' roses, an' stocks, an' marigolds, an' sweet mignonette; you could smell the place a mile off of a warm summer's night. Ah! she was a fine girl, she was, that lived up there; an' a terrible story that 'ouse tells. It ain't just pleasant to be on the next lot to it."

Mr. Wellbeloved, for I had stumbled in my Canada ramble on a person of that name, thus spoke of a log house and lot which had attracted my curiosity. On one of the best stretches of arable land, lying well up the gentle swell of the valley, with a good exposure, backed by fine woodland, was—a singular sight in that raw, yet thriving settlement—a "concession" which seemed to have been swept by some spirit of ruin and decay. The log house stood, but its roof was rotting; its slight porch had been shattered or displaced by snow; its windows remained unbroken, but one could see from the dragging paper blinds which had once made them gay with color, that there was no housewife within to mend or change things; and all over the eight or ten acres of land which had been cleared about the house, there grew as high as the unremoved stumps a wealth of weed, such as is only the crop of absolute desertion and death. By this place, on one side, my friend Wellbeloved, at whose house I had drawn up for a midday meal, tilled a thriving farm; the evidence was visible in the roll of ripening wheat dotted with the dicks of the blackened stumps, and in the cattle that loitered from the sun's heat under the circle of young maples he had left in a corner of one of his fields, where a spring welled up from among the bowlders, and by the grunt of the well-fed pigs which wandered down the road and cooled their heated sides in the marshy bottom, where I found the road like a floating stage of logs. Moreover, there was Mrs. Wellbeloved, a little weary-looking perhaps, for number nine in the cradle was 'the most bothersome child, that it was, God bless it, she had ever knew;' and two or three fine strapping boys that came home to the noontide meal from some hoeing work at the back of the concession with an appetite for the pork and corn that made me envious.

Wellbeloved was a Londoner, and had been in Canada exactly six years. He was "just turned forty," having married at twenty, and now possessed a graduating scale of voracious infantry which must in the metropolis have severely worn his energies and Mrs. Wellbeloved's patience, but which, out here, was his most promising source of wealth. The elder boy, nearly nineteen, had added a hundred acres to the original government concession, and as the boys grew up more would follow. Already Mr. Wellbeloved's house and barn began to take on an air, if not of wealth or even comfort, of sufficiency, which, as one looked into his bronzed face and clear eyes, and listened to his cheery voice, gave promise that the time might come when the patriarch should bless his sons and daughters, and his sons-in-law and daughters-in-law, looking out upon a scene of civilized beauty and fertility, and dividing among them no mean inheritance. Such scenes have been witnessed in earlier settlements, and in the antecedent district of Lake Simcoe, along whose cultivated shores I had traveled to Muskoka; and such scenes will be repeated over and over again as the tide of population laps on and into the forest wilds of Ontario.

"Well," I said, "what's the story of that place? It seems odd that it should be deserted like this. Why don't you take it up?"

"Me, sir! No, thankee. I'd not own a rod o' that soil for its pavin' in gold. No, no! There's blood on that land, let some stranger come an' wipe it hout."

He wiped the beads from his forehead (the day was hot) and began:

"The man that took hup that concession was a gentleman, leastways, sir, you know, a gentleman by birth. 'Is father was a Lunnun lawyer, you've 'eard of 'im, old Bytheway that used to 'ave the big cases in the hold Bailey. The hold man, he made money, an' spent it, an this 'ere boy 'e made none, an' spent what 'is father made. 'E were sent to Heton, then to Hoxford, an' afterwards 'e were sent—leastways not by direction—to the devil. The young 'ooman that lived an' died in that 'ouse were acquainted with me. Lucy Burridge, that were her real name, though she were called 'Lucinda Burrinda, the helegant danseuse'—she were in the corpus de balley at the varieties theayter in the Strand, I dessay you know hit? * * * Yes? Well, sir, I were scene-shifter in that theayter for seven years, an' five years before that at Drury Lane. I could tell you some queer stories! If you want to know somethin' of life, you get up in the wings, night after night, an' watch the stage, you'll see somethin' of the bad han' the good o' 'uman natur'. Why, sir, I've seen cruelty an' wickedness, an' jealousy, an' revenge, an' kindness, an' forgiveness, an' charity, played far more real behind the canvas scenes I were shiftin' than it were on the stage or before it. One night, I see a young girl, which her name was Sairey Podge, from a dirty little street in the Borough; she was but a pretty one to look at an' danced like a slyph, an' she 'ad a particler rival, a 'all Hitaian girl, as bad a little shrew of a temper as never you saw. Well, one night, hin the Christmas pantomime—'twere last Christmas, ten year—this girl, La Rosa, she broke down, and the people hissed her. Well, I was hup in the wings an' I see it, an' she ran behind one of the scenes where Sairey was waitin' to jump out like a fairey, as she was, an' I say to my mate, 'Look out, for squalls there, Lorry—them two'll fight,' for I've seen girls fight behind the scenes before now. Well, sir, the Hitalian almost bounced into the other's arms. Sairey drew back a minute, an' looked hat 'er. The other was glowing with passion an' spite, an' my fear was that Sairey's face was agoin' to be spoiled, when I see Sairey 'old hout both 'er 'ands, and I 'eard 'er distinct-like, cry hout, 'Oh! Miss Rosa, I am so sorry!' an' will you believe it sir? the poor Hitalian laid 'er 'ed on the hother's shoulder, an' cried like a child! In a minute the stage-master called out, sharp, 'Miss Podge,' an' she dried her tears an' went hout an' danced so beautifully, the pit nearly went mad with 'er. Oh, yes, sir, there's 'uman natur, behind as well as before the scenes, an' the great scene-shifter above he watches it.

"Well, sir, Miss Lucy, afterward Missis Bytheway, wer' a clever dancer, an' likewise some'times took a small part, for she were as pretty a girl as I ever seen hon the stage, an' I've seen hall the swells, you know. They're very partikler hat the varieties you know; hit's only the royal family, an' two or three wery speshul parties as gets the hentree there. I dunno 'ow that young Bytheway got in; but p'raps, 'is father 'as done the governor a good turn sometimes. 'Owsoever 'e were hon the stage pretty hoften, an' took a violent fancy to Miss Lucy. Ah, sir, my 'art used to bleed sometimes for those poor girls—to see 'ow bold and brazen some on 'em were, an' 'ow gentle others was, an' how many of em came to grief! No matter, Lucy, she took to young Bytheway, an' 'e tried on a bold game with 'er, but she was too good or too knowin' to be deceived. I believe she really liked the man. 'E were a terrible temper. No one 'ad ever controlled it. 'E'd grown up just like that stalk of mullen you see there, as straight and as long as he liked, an' breakin' out at every stage. * * *

"Now you want to know 'ow they come hout to this place? I can't tell you. All I know is, that hafter spoonin' about the girl for a precious long time, and she playin' hoff an' on with 'im, one day she didn't come to rehearsal, and then hit were rumored among the young ladies she 'ad run away with Mr. Bytheway. The hold gent an' the young 'un 'ad 'ad a row, han' the young un said that 'rather than kill the old fool, he'd leave him.' Well, a year after I came across a hemigration hagent. 'E told me about Canada an' the free grants, an', lookin' round on all those hungry children, I said, 'We'll try it—it's worth the venture.' I'd saved a little money, an' when I got to Toronto I applied for land at the government office, an' they gave me this concession free. We got 'ere about the first of June, han' lived in the woods for some weeks; I tell you the muskètoes were awful. But you'll fancy 'ow I started, when the first thing I see on the next lot, where that 'ouse 'ad lately been built, was young Bytheway in a torn skirt an' trousers, hoein' round among the stumps just as if 'e'd been at it all 'is life. Then hout come Miss Lucy—then Mrs. Bytheway, for they'd got married before they left England—looking palelike, has I've seen Mrs. Wellbeloved look oftener than I cared for. We was very good friends, an' the young gentleman, who was 'smart,' as they say 'ere, 'e put me hup to a good many things, an' showed me 'ow to build my 'ouse, an' all the nabors was kind an' 'elpful enough, has all the people are hout 'ere to strangers. Well, young Bytheway was kind enough to Lucy, an', for all I saw, she were fond enough of 'im, but once or twice I noticed he went off to Orilla an' stayed away some days, it might be three or four, an' when he came back he wasn't 'imself for a long time. I knew what it was; it was the hold enemy—drink—an' for the time hit made 'im another man.

"By and by the autumn came, an' we got in our root crops an' a little corn an' wheat, an' Bytheway laid in a decent lot. Then came the frost, an' the falling of the leaves, an' then the snow. Such snow! I've seen snow ten or fifteen feet deep down in that gully, an' all as crisp an' shiny as the finest sugar, an' the air as pure an' the sky as bright as I ever see painted in a Hitalian scene et the theayter. * * * Healthy? I should think so. There ain't no doctor nearer than Gravenhurst, an' I never 'eard of 'im comin' up here except to Joseph Johnson's grandmother; they say she's nigh upon 80, an' took the rheumatiz so bad they thought she were dyin', and sent for 'im to 'elp 'er on. Well, it was the second year, and then in the snow-time came Christmas, an' the new tavern-keeper down at Bracebridge, he gave out a turkey-shootin', an' Mr. Bytheway on the day before Christmas left 'is wife in our charge—she were very near 'er confinement—and went to try 'is luck. She come over here Christmas heve, an' though she never said nothin,' she weren't in no spirits, we all noticed. My wife of course see the most of 'er, an' tried 'er best to coax 'er to be more lively like. She would go 'ome that night, and, next mornin,' my wife went hup to 'er for a hour or so. She left 'er dressed an' comfortable, waitin' for Bytheway's return. She expected 'im to reach 'ome about three or four in the afternoon. I went in after midday an' then she were a-layin', the cloth for a Christmas dinner. The room was always very clean, an' she'd stuck some green about an' ornamented the table an' made it all look very nice, far better than we poor people can do out here, for Bytheway kept some of 'is hold 'abits, an' she loved to make the 'ouse as swell like as possible. I thought she looked very pretty though she was so pale, and she 'ad one of 'er, old theayter flowers in 'er brown air—it were a pleasure to me to see 'er.

"'Why, Mrs. Bytheway,' I says, 'Merry Christmas.'

"'Merry Christmas, Wellbeloved,' says she. An' then, turning roun' sharp, she says, 'How soon do you think Reynold can, get home? He was to leave Bracebridge early this morning and walk out. I have a plum-pudding for him. He knows nothing about it. I wish he was home.'

"She went an' looked out the door, but the wind blew sharp from the north an' she came in with a shiver. I stayed with 'er more than a hour, 'avin' nothin' partikler to do, an' left 'er at very near 9 o'clock. I'ad to come right down from the door, you see, to that gate an' then along the road for half a mile to my own path. I'd got very close to the turnin' into my own land when I see Bytheway strugglin' up the road through the snow. I waited for 'im.

"'Allo, Mr. Bytheway,' I says, 'so 'ere you are at last. Any luck a shootin'?'

"I see in a moment 'e were hout o' sorts. 'Is face was swollen an' red, an' he scowled at me very angry like.

"'Not a d—— thing,' says 'e.

"Then he came on straight at me, an' seein' 'e were not safe to speak to, I got hout of the way an' went 'ome.

"'Poor Lucy!' says I to my wife. 'She ain't in for a Merry Christmas, 'm afraid.'

"I watched 'im staggerin' along and cussin' and swearin' as 'e went, till 'e reached the door. Then I see 'er run out, as well as she could, poor thing, for 'twas very near, an' I see 'im brush 'er hout of 'is way with 'is arm. 'E didn't knock 'er down.

"'Poor Lucy!' says I. 'She ain't in for a Merry Christmas, I'm afraid.'

Just then we 'eard the report of a gun an' both rushed to the door. There was nothin' to be seen at first, but presently Bytheway ran out with 'is hands over 'is face. 'E threw 'imself into the snow an' lay there a long time; then 'e got up an' ran down to the road, and so off beyond Stony Janssen the Swede's there.

"'Well,' says I to my wife, 'you an' I 'ad best go up an' see what's become of Lucy. This don't seem all right.'

"The door was open when we got there, an' the first thing we saw was Lucy Bytheway, holdin' in her bosom, and groanin', an' a great spot of blood over the white cloth where she 'ad laid, an' there thrown down on the table, crashin' and breakin' the crockery and the glass, was Mr. Bytheway's gun with its muzzle within two feet of her breast. I knew then she'd been shot. We laid 'er on the bed. She soon swooned away. Then we gave 'er brandy an' then came a time I needn't describe to you. I went away and got such baby clothes as we 'ad, an' my poor wife she stayed there an' 'elped that poor young creature to fight with death for the life she 'ad so long hoped for. It was no use. The mother never 'eard 'er own child's voice. It never 'ad none. Do you think, though, it had no voice here, it may have one in 'eaven! When she knew it wasn't living she said—

"'Well, I'm goin' too, Mrs. Wellbeloved, remember this. He didn't shoot me. * * * He was vexed and angry that he missed every shot at Bracebridge. I asked him what made him so angry. He had pushed me coming in and took away my breath, you know, and I sat down on the chair on the other side of the table. When I asked him that question he looked at me, and you know it was very foolish and unkind of me to ask such a question. He looked all on fire, and then, with a terrible oath, he dashed the gun down on the table—and you know he never meant it but it went off—and, oh! Mrs. Wellbeloved, good-by, good-by, dear—say I forgive him!'

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"That's the story of that 'ouse, sir. You see why it ain't a cheerful place for me to look hat. * * * What became of Bytheway? He was found, when spring came, ten miles off in the woods, where he had frozen to death, an' hif you go up here to our Orange 'all you'll see one tomb beside it, the only tomb about 'ere, an' there the three lies. Dinner's ready, sir."

Rifleman's Courtesies.

The great shooting match at Wimbleton, England, for the Elcho Challenge Shield, was won by the Irish team. Only during the shooting at the 1000-yard were the contestants in the match favored with bright weather.

After the victory of the Irishmen, Mr. Wells, captain of the English eight, called for cheers for the Irish team, which were given.

Mr. Abercorn, Captain of the Irish eight, spoke in response, and called for cheers for the Scotch eight.

Mr. Dunlap, captain of the team, in speaking, complimented the American team and America.

Col. Gildersleeve returned thanks for the favorable remarks on his country in regard to the hope that had been expressed, that an American team would complete at Wimbleton in 1876. He said:

"We are to have, at Philadelphia, in that year, a national centennial celebration, and we invite the rifle teams of the civilized world to a friendly contest there. Should that be accomplished, you will see an American team at Wimbleton in 1877."

Lord Wharncliff said he hoped the English, Scotch and Irish riflemen would be represented at Philadelphia.

The New Spanish Constitution.

The new constitution provides for 300 members of the lower Chamber of Deputies, who are to be chosen for five years, one representative to every 5,000 inhabitants. The King has a right to dissolve the Chamber of Deputies and the elective portion of the Senate simultaneously or separately, but must convoke the new Chambers within three months. He appoints the Presidents and Vice-Presidents of the Senate, and has a right to veto bills. Any person arrested must be brought before the tribunal or released within seventy-two hours. Either the Cortes or the government may decree the suspension of constitutional guarantees, but the banishment of a Spaniard from his country is prohibited.

IT never pays to fret and growl when fortune seems our foe; the better bred will push ahead and strike a braver blow. For luck is work, and those who shirk should not lament their doom, but yield the play and clear the way, that better men have room.

After the Rain.

THOMAS BAILEY ALDRICH.

The rain has ceased, and in my room
The sunshine pours an orange flood;
And on the churches dizzy vane
The ancient cross is bathed in blood.

From out the dripping ivy leaves,
Antiquely carven, gray and high,
dormer, facing westward, looks
on the village like an eye.

And now it glimmers in the sun,
A globe of gold, a disc, a speck;
And in the belfry sits a dove
With purple ripples on her neck.

Wit and Wisdom.

SUSPICION is the virtue of a coward.

SONG of the kettle—the dull tenure.

TIES that are not to bind—Indian trea-ties.

A FRONTIER dish—*pate de fois grasshopper*.

AN ingrain car-pet—a polite conductor.

THE detectives are said to be $20,000 richer for the losing of Charlie Ross.

A GOOD thing for warm weather—a cool thousand or two.

THE vanquished Irish marksmen are sensible fellows. They don't cry about trifles.

THE best way to get along with barbers—grin and bay rum.

DRINKING glass after glass must produce panes in your insides.

IF you don't bridle your tongue, saddle be your faith.

THE best thing in the world is to live above it.

THE naked truth—a bear story.

THE New York hats are said to remind the beholder of a Long Branch hotel—all piazza and band.

HALF the vices in the world arise out of cowardice, and one who is afraid of lying is usually afraid of nothing else.

A CURIOSITY hunter would like to get some moss from the rock of a cradle and a rafter from the roof of a mouth.

THOSE who are too poor to suffer at a watering place, this season, will be obliged to stay home and enjoy themselves.

THERE is no particular advantage in catching a weasel asleep. A good wide-awake weasel answers every purpose.

CULTURE is not incompatible with business. There is some "refinement," even in a lard factory.

THERE is a certain decorum even in grief: for excess of sorrow is as foolish as profuse laughter.

HE who receives a "good turn" should never forget it; he who does one should never remember it.

WE are not merely working, intellectual machines, but social puzzles, whose solution is the work of a life.

GLORY is well enough for a rich man; but it is of very little consequence to a poor man with a large family.

WE learn to climb by keeping our eyes not on the hills that lie behind, but on the mountains that rise before us.

THE human heart is made for love, as the household hearth for fire; and for truth, as the household lamp for light.

NOWHERE are our corruptions so manifest, or our grace so shining, as under the rod.

HE who has energy enough to root out a vice should go a little further and plant a virtue there.

A MUSICAL amateur writes to ask if the old English song, "A Single Smile," furnished the theme of Wagner's "Lone grin."

FANCY flourishes send many letters to the dead letter office, and many a mortal to the alms-house.

ONE of the hardest things to do is to let well enough alone, and this is not less strange than the fascinations which prompted a man to pick up a hot poker a second time to see what burnt him.

GREATNESS stands upon a precipice, and if prosperity carry a man ever so little beyond his poise, it overbears and dashes him to pieces.

THE Florentine version of the McCloskey hat ceremonies is best. The Epoca said: "Gen. Grant will with his own hands place the beretta on Mokloky's head."

ARTISTS have adopted many emblems of charity. We wonder if none of them ever thought of a piece of India rubber, which gives more than any other substance.

WE see through it at last. The butcher sticks those miserable little wooden pins—which no amateur carver can contemplate without profane impulse—into the roasting piece to make it seekewer.

THE hardest lesson of all is yet to be learned by those who have just graduated from our schools and colleges—the lesson of experience, which shows one how little he knows.

A HUMANITARIAN friend wonders why the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals does not interfere to prevent the "bull's eye" from being hit by ambitious riflemen.

A SEVENTEEN-YEAR-OLDSON in the family has the hardest work. He comes home two hours after midnight, so weary and worn out with playing billiards and carrying a scarf-pin the size of your fist, almost, that it is as much as he can do to get out of bed in time for dinner.

TALKING about comfortable sleeping accommodations for the warm weather, the captain remarks: "The sailor's swinging bed is the coolest I hammock 'quainted with."

"DIVISION of labor." First swell—"Deuced hot, Fwank! Call a cab!" Second swell—"Tell you what, old fellow. You shout and I'll hold the umbwellar. "Get through it that way."

WHEN a boy falls and peels the skin off his nose, the first thing he does is to get up and yell. When a girl tumbles and hurts herself badly, the first thing she does is to get up and look at her dress.

"WHAT kind of a man is Squire Simmons, any way?" "Well, you've seen them snow storms along early in the winter, when there's a good deal, of wind but not much sleighing? That's the sort he is."

"D'YE see that?" asked Nancy Baldwin, of Chicago, pointing to a tight board fence, twelve feet high. "Well, when I tell my old man Jake to climb that you bet he climbs," and just then an old fellow with a crutch and one eye hobbled in, and that was Jake.

A FUNNY incident is related of a constable in Adrian, Mich., who arrested a prisoner in a distant town. He handcuffed the prisoner and himself together and laid down to sleep. In the morning the handcuffs were on the constable's wrists, the prisoner was gone, and so was the pocket-book, money, and watch of the officer.

A WIFE who had been lecturing her husband for coming home intoxicated became incensed at his indifference and exclaimed: "Oh, that I could wring tears of anguish from your eyes!" To which the hardened wretch hiccoughed: "Tai 'taint no use, old woman, to bore for water here."

A LITTLE three-year old, warned by her mother not to put her fingers into a chopping-tray, lest the knife should cut them off, said: "God can make some more for me when I get to heaven." Her mother replied: "You will not need them there." "Yes," said the child, "I shall; else how can I play on my harp?"

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TERMS—$2 50 PER ANNUM IN ADVANCE

The Postmaster General estimates that the number of postal cards issued during the present fiscal year will aggregate 125,000,000.

Negotiations are now in progress between the Postmaster General and the Hudson River, the New York Central, and the Michigan Southern Railways for the running of a fast mail train between New York and Chicago. It is proposed to make stops only at Albany, Rochester, Buffalo, Cleveland, and Toledo, and the intention is to run through in about ten hours less time than now.

No. 2 stack of the Pioneer furnace blew out for repairs last Saturday, July 17th. The stack was blown in August 26th, 1874, being in blast forty-seven weeks, and has had a most successful run, making 7,905 tons of pig metal. It is thought that only about two weeks will be required to put in a new hearth, and then she will be immediately put in operation again. No. 1 stack is running satisfactorily.—*Marquette Journal.*

Persevere against discouragements. Keep your temper. Employ leisure in study, and always have some work in hand. Be punctual and methodical in business, and never procrastinate. Never be in a hurry. Preserve self-possession, and do not be talked out of conviction. Rise early, and be an economist of time. Maintain dignity without the appearance of pride; manner is something for everybody, and everything with some. Be guarded in discourse, attentive and slow to speak. Never acquiesce in immoral or pernicious opinions. Be not forward to assign reasons to those who have no right to ask. Think nothing in conduct unimportant or indifferent. Rather set than follow examples. Practice strict temperance, and in your transactions remember the final account.

Murder Will Out.

After nearly twenty years, the Mountain Meadow butchers are about to be brought to justice. Bishop Lee, of the mormon church, one of the ring-leaders in the massacre, has been on trial for several days past. The trial develops the fact that the entire mormon community were accessories before and after the fact.—There is a prospect that Brigham Young will stand a chance of dancing on a tight rope for the amusement of his harem.

Base Ball Tournament.

The people of Ionia, Mich., have subscribed $600 to be given away as prizes at a base ball tournament to be held at that place August 10th, 11th, 12th and 13th next. The prizes are divided into three classes, of three prizes each. The first class is open to all the world, the second to Michigan, and the third to Ionia county clubs. The leading business men have taken charge of the matter, and the railroad of the Lower Peninsula have reduced their rates to half price for that week.

If the grounds now used by the Escanaba clubs, near the Tilden House, were put into proper condition, arrangements could be made for a very interesting tournament at this place.

Iron Shipments.

ESCANABA.

The following is a statement of shipments of ore from this port up to and including the 29th of July:—

Jackson	26 099
New York	18 416
Cleveland	1,174
Angeline	12 253
Barnum	20 195
Sagkaw	22 649
South Side Jackson	1 465
Rolling Mill	4 056
Goodrich	499
Salisbury	1,116
Superior	3 000
Champion	808
Foster	228
Total	109,507

PIG IRON.

Pioneer furnace	6,760
Dyer Lake furnace	1,030
Iron Cliff furnace	900
Total	7,790

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MARQUETTE.

The following table from the Marquette Journal shows the shipments from that port up to and including July 21st, 1875.

Mine.	IRON ORE. Tons.
Cleveland	50 119
Lake Superior	38 177
Champion	20,997
Washington	8,022
Republic	63,258
Keystone	825
Kloman	5 778
New York	20,945
Rolling Mill	3,640
Menominee	1,986
E. Morris	2,932
Pittsburgh & Lake Angeline	1,583
Total	198,347

	PIG IRON.
Morgan furnace	1 600
Bancroft furnace	1,433
Carp furnace	99
Pioneer	1,100
Inkpenning pest furnace	1,150
Marquette & Pacific rolling mill	5,019
Marquette & Pacific rol'g mill, (track bar)	140
Total	10,091

L'ANSE.

The following report from the Marquette Journal gives the total amount of iron ore shipments from the port of L'Anse up to July 21st, 1875.

Spur Mountain	8,600
Michigamme	14,839
Total	23,439

I. O. O. F.

Dedication of Odd Fellows Hall, August 9th—Grand Affair.

Preparations are being made by the members of Escanaba Lodge No. 169 for a grand dedication of their new hall in Adler's brick block. Grand Master, George Dean, of Detroit, Mich., will officiate at the ceremonies assisted by members of lodges at Marinette, Menominee, Peshtigo, Stephenson, Republic mine, Ishpeming, Marquette, Houghton and Hancock. Judge Neville, of Green Bay, Wis., will deliver the oration. The ceremonies will commence by a procession of the brotherhood in full regalia, headed by the Escanaba Brass Band, starting at 3 o'clock P. M. from their hall and marching through the principal streets of the village, after which the dedicatory ceremonies will commence. Supper will be had at the Northwestern Eating House, after which the brotherhood and invited guests will indulge in dancing at the same place. Arrangements have been made for trains to leave the dock for this depot at short intervals.

OUR PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

The Improvements made and those engaged to teach the young ideas how to shoot.

Through the kindness of C. S. Heath, school director, we were shown through the various apartments of our public schools, on Monday morning last, and was much pleased with the appearance of the several rooms. The woodwork has been well painted, the walls thoroughly calcimined, and the blackboards retouched, which combined with the graining of the desks and thorough cleaning of the floors and windows, gives everything a neat and cheerful look. The primary and intermediate departments are on the first, and the grammar and high school on the second floors of the building. The outside of the building presents a rather rough appearance and one would naturally expect to see a correspondingly dingy interior, but we are glad to say we were agreeably surprised after making a tour of inspection. The board have found it necessary to add another primary department, making three in all—one in the school building already mentioned, one in Owen Cleary's building, on the hill, and the other in the room over the Escanaba Bank, formerly occupied by the Odd Fellows society. The last mentioned room has been calcinded and painted and windows put in on the sides making it quite a pleasant room. Mr. B. informs us that the six rooms will accommodate in the neighborhood of 450 scholars, and doubtless there will be fully that number in attendance the coming term. This shows that ere long the district will have to take active measures towards securing another school building as they are now paying $15.00 per month for rent. The following are the teachers employed:

High School,—W. H. TIBBALS, of Oberlin, O.
Grammar Dep't.—Miss KATE O'DONNELL.
Intermediate Dep't.—Miss L. BRAITHWAITE.
Primary Dep't.—J. DELLE TYLER.
Primary Dep't, Owen Cleary's Building.—Miss MARY STACK.
Primary Dep't, over Escanaba Bank—Miss CARRIE ELLSWORTH.

Personal Mention.

H. H. Drury accompanied by his wife and little girl started for Detroit on Monday last, where they will spend a few days visiting their friends, returning some time the coming week.

L. R. Morris, General Manager of the Niagara Fire Insurance Company for this State, was in town on Monday and Tuesday looking over the company's business at this place.

John J. Regan, who formerly made Escanaba his dwelling place, was in town a few days this week. John reports business "not so bad as it might be."

Mr. Gormly, who formerly took the size of the boys for the benefit of the J. R. Coe tailoring house, Ripon, Wis., was in town a portion of last week and informs us that he will hereafter make Marquette his home.

J. B. Kitchen and wife were in town on Saturday last to meet friends from outside.

Wm. Farrell took the Thursday's passenger train south to look over the business prospects at the different points between here and Chicago.

H. Doty of the firm of Doty & Co., cigar manufacturers, Oshkosh, Wis., was in town on Thursday exhibiting his samples to our dealers in the weed.

Legislative Excursion.

On or about the 18th of next month the members of our State Legislature, accompanied by members of the Press, propose taking an excursion to the Lake Superior country. Last year when they had the excursion, our member of the legislature, with his usual oversight, neglected to inform our citizens of the intended visit until a few hours before their arrival here. Whether this was intentional or not we are not prepared to say, but this we do say, that had he done his duty he would, at least, have made some effort to have had them stop a few hours and examine our village with its beautiful harbor and immense iron docks, and not treat us as if we were a second rate one-horse city. This year, however, it will be the fault of our citizens if they fail to receive the law makers in a becoming manner. We would suggest that a committee of the "city fathers" be appointed to make arrangements for their reception, with authority to furnish a good and substantial dinner at the expense of the corporation. Let them understand that the citizens of Escanaba are not wanting in hospitality to visitors; that if notified in time they can entertain as well as their neighbors.

Base Ball.

The Escanabas and the newly organized Ludington B. B. C. had a very pleasant little game out on the marsh on Saturday afternoon last, and although the Escanabas came out ahead their opponents did nobly for new beginners. On account of rain, only seven innings were played. The following is the score:—

ESCANABA.	R.	O.	LUDINGTON.	R.	O.
Weidman, c	2	2	Garnon, s s	2	3
Simon, p	5	3	Stephenson, c f	2	0
Merrell, s s	6	2	McFall, 1 b	2	3
Erickson, 2d b	3	2	Brown, 3d b	1	2
Atkins, c f	4	2	Dodge, 2d b	2	1
McCarty, l f	2	5	Torney, r f	2	5
Conners, 1 b	5	2	Fowler, c	4	1
Wetzler, 3d b	3	1	Gormley, p	1	4
Green, r f	1	2	Lott, p	2	3
Total	31	21	Total	19	21

The close of the game was the most amusing of all, to see the boys rush for the bus and carriages to "get out of the wet."

FORD RIVER ITEMS.

(ODE TO THE "BOSS.")

Times in Ford River have of late
Degenerated at a fearful rate,
And still your humble correspondent
Does not feel the least despondent.
With a full determination
And also without contemplation
Of saying anything which might
Deviate a whit from right,
I seat myself to give you all the news,
Believe it or not just as you choose.
I can't give it all in rhyme
Because I haven't got the time.
No doubt you are filled with wonder
And want to know what in thunder
Your humble servant has been trying
To get through him without lying.
So I guess I'll up and tell
And your wonderment dispel.

The Company are extending their docks in order to make room for more lumber.

The berry crop is nearly ripe and consequently our red neighbors are on the tramp for the fields of fruit.

Parties hailing from up river report bear's meat quite plentiful and state that said animals are commiting uncalled for depredations along the route.

The following vessels cleared for Chicago this week, laden with lumber, lath and shingles: F. B Gardner, S. J. Luff.

When a young man carries in wood for the old folks it is generally conceded that his title to the old man's darling is pretty secure. Our brave young man has to carry in for the brother-in-law or he is "no account."

Captain Case, who usually acts as commander of Mr. Miller's little sloop, came to grief on Monday last. Mr. C. is without question a first-class sailor, yet we are all liable to accidents. The aforesaid gentleman loaded his little craft towards Bark River, on Monday last, and when directly between Indian town and the Island the boat upset in three or four feet of water. Mr. C. and party were spilled out but were luckily rescued by some ladies from the island who came gallantly out to save the unfortunates from a watery grave. We think they deserve credit for their bravery (the women we mean.) One sailor says the water was quite pleasant, but would prefer a voluntary bath. We would be willing to try the same ourself if we were convinced that some good looking damsel would pull us out, but our physiog is anything but handsome and we fear she would let us perish.

A. H. C.

Marine.

ARRIVALS.

July
22. Prop I H Owen, Chicago.
22. Prop Neptune, Green Bay.
22. Schr Jessie Linn, Chicago.
22. Schr B Barnes, Chicago.
22. Schr Kate E Bruce, St. Joseph.
22. Schr Nellie Redington, Cleveland.
23. Prop Fayette, Frankfort.
23. Schr J B Kitchen, Fayette.
23. Tug Lark, Manistique.
24. Prop Depere, Milwaukee.
24. Prop Neptune, Green Bay.
24. Star Union, Green Bay.
24. Schr Monitor, Beaver Island.
25. Schr A L Potter, Chicago.
25. Schr Milan, Chicago.
25. Schr Two Brothers, Garden Bay.
25. Schr Reindeer, Elk Rapids.
26. Schr J B Kitchen, Fayette.
26. Prop S C Baldwin, Chicago.
27. Prop Neptune, Green Bay.
27. Schr Jane Bell, Detroit.
28. Schr J B Kitchen, Fayette.
28. Schr Nenawatage, Sturgeon Bay.
29. Prop Depere, Milwaukee.
29. Star Union, Green Bay.
29. Prop Neptune, Green Bay.

CLEARANCES.

July
22. Prop Neptune, 300 tons ore, Green Bay.
22. Prop I H Owen, 750 tons ore, Chicago.
22. Prop Fayette, 415 tons ore Frankfort.
22. Schr B Barnes, 540 M lumber, 40 M lath, Chicago.
22. Schr Jessie Linn, 1125 tons ore, Chicago.
23. Schr Kate E Bruce, 818 tons ore, St Joseph.
23. Schr J B Kitchen, 550 tons ore Fayette.
23. Schr Nellie Redington, 1215 tons ore Cleveland.
24. Star Union, 170 packages fish, Green Bay.
24. Prop Depere, sundries, Milwaukee.
24. Tug Lark, light, Manistique.
24. Schr Two Brothers, 22 cords bark 2 Rivers.
25. Schr J B Kitchen, 540 tons ore, Fayette.
26. Schr A L Potter, 504 tons ore Milwaukee.
26. Schr Reindeer, 320 tons ore, Elk Rapids.
26. Schr Milan, 100 M lumber, 300 M shingles, Chicago.
26. Prop S C Baldwin, 730 tons ore, Milwaukee.
27. Schr Jane Bell, 320 tons ore, Leland.
27. Prop Neptune, 300 tons ore, Green Bay.
28. Prop Depere, 80 pck'gs sundries, 2 horses, Mil.
28. Schr Monitor, 2 bbls salt, Beaver Island.
28. Schr Nenawatage, 21 pck'gs sundries, Stur Bay.
28. Star Union, 250 pgs fish, Green Bay.
29. Schr J B Kitchen, 565 tons ore, Fayette.
29. Prop Neptune, 300 tons ore, Depere.

LEGAL.

The Eleventh Judicial Circuit Terms of Circuit for 1874 and 1875.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, } ss.

Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of the laws of the State, I have fixed and appointed the times of holding the several terms for the years 1874 and 1875 of the Circuit Court in and for the Counties constituting the Eleventh Judicial Circuit, of said State as follows to-wit:

In the County of Menominee, for the year 1874 the first Monday of May, and the second Tuesday of September, for the year 1875, the first Monday of May and first Tuesday of September.

In the County of Delta, for the year 1874, the second Monday of May, and the first Tuesday of September, for the year 1875, the second Monday of May and 6th Tuesday of August.

In the County of Chippewa, the fourth Monday of May and the fourth Monday of August in each year.

In the County of Cheboygan, the first Tuesday of June and the second Tuesday of August in each year.

In the County of Mackinac, the second Tuesday of June, and the first Tuesday of August in each year.

In the County of Manitou, for the year 1874, the third Monday of June and fourth Monday of July, for the year 1875 the second Monday of June and fourth Monday of July.

Dated, October 20, 1873.

DANIEL GOODWIN,
Circuit Judge 11th Circuit.

EXECUTION SALE.—By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Delta, to me directed and delivered, wherein Theodore V. Derckzen and Herman Derckzen are plaintiffs, and Frank Murray is defendant, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of said defendant for the sum of Ninety-three (93) dollars and forty (40) cents damages, and one dollar costs, I have levied upon all the right, title and interest of said Frank Murray in and to the following described piece or parcel of land, situate in the village of Escanaba, county of Delta, and State of Michigan, to-wit: Commencing at a point fifty (50) feet east of the southwest corner of block numbered twelve (12) of said village of Escanaba as recorded in the Register's office for said Delta county, running due north one hundred and forty (140) feet, thence due east twenty (20) feet and four (4) inches, thence due south one hundred and forty (140) feet, thence due west twenty (20) feet and four (4) inches to place of beginning. And I shall sell at public vendue on Monday, the second day of August, A. D. 1875, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the front door of the Court House, in the village of Escanaba, in the county aforesaid, all the right, title and interest of said defendant, Frank Murray, in and to the said premises and hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging to satisfy said execution and the costs and expenses allowed by law.

Dated June 17th, 1875.

D. OLIVER, Sheriff.

EXECUTION SALE.—By virtue of a writ of Fieri Facias issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court for the county of Delta, to me directed and delivered, wherein Gustav Hammer is plaintiff and Frank Murray is defendant, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of said defendant for the sum of Ninety-nine (99) dollars and eighty-three (83) cents damages, and Five (5) dollars and ninety-eight (98) cents costs. I have levied upon all the right, title and interest of the said Frank Murray in and to the following described piece or parcel of land, situate in the village of Escanaba, county of Delta and State of Michigan, to-wit: Commencing at a point fifty (50) feet east of the southwest corner of block numbered twelve (12) of said village of Escanaba as recorded in the Register's office for said Delta county, running due north one hundred and forty (140) feet, thence due east twenty (20) feet and four (4) inches, thence due south one hundred and forty (140) feet thence due west twenty (20) feet and four (4) inches to place of beginning. And I shall sell at public vendue on Monday, the second day of August, A. D. 1875, at two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the front door of the Court House, in the village of Escanaba, in the county aforesaid, all the right, title and interest of said defendant, Frank Murray, in and to the said premises, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, to satisfy said execution and the costs and expenses allowed by law.

Dated June 17, 1875.

D OLIVER, Sheriff

MORTGAGE SALE.—Default having been made in the conditions of a Mortgage made by Antoine Beauchamp, Sr. and Antoine Beauchamp, Jr., to John N. Hiller, dated the first day of October, A. D. 1873, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds within and for the County of Delta and State of Michigan, on the 8th day of October, A. D. 1873, at nine o'clock A. M. in Liber "B" of Mortgages on pages 70-1, and no proceeding or suit having been instituted at law or in chancery for the foreclosure of said mortgage, upon which Mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty-One Dollars and Eleven Cents, besides an attorney's fee of Thirty Dollars, provided for in said Mortgage. Notice is hereby given, that in pursuance of the power of sale contained in said Mortgage, I shall on the seventeenth day of July, A. D. 1875, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the front door of Elliott's Hall in Escanaba in said county, (that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for said County of Delta) foreclose the said Mortgage, pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, by a sale at public auction of the premises described in said mortgage to wit:—The south-east quarter of the south-west quarter of Section sixteen (16) in township Forty-one (41) north of Range Twenty-two (22) west, to satisfy the amount due upon said Mortgage, with said attorney's fees, interest and costs of foreclosure.

Dated, Escanaba, Mich., April 20th, 1875.

JOHN N. HILLER, Mortgagee.
DAVID OLIVER, Sheriff of Delta County.
E. P. LOTT, Attorney for Mortgagee. 30w13

The above sale is hereby adjourned until the 24th day of July instant, at the same hour and place. DAVID OLIVER, Sheriff.

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Best Gunpowder Tea	$1.00 @ $1.25 ℔ lb
Best Japan Tea	85cts ℔ lb
Good Japan Tea	70cts ℔ lb
Good Mixed Tea	60cts ℔ lb
Best "German" Soap	7cts ℔ bar
Star Candles	20cts ℔ lb
Best Kerosene Oil	25cts ℔ gal.
White Wine Vinegar	35cts ℔ gal.
Crackers—Boston, Soda, Sugar, Picnic, Desert	10 to 20c

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Mess Pork	13cts ℔ lb
Mess Beef	9cts ℔ lb
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Dried Beef	16cts ℔ lb
Best Dairy Butter	32cts ℔ lb
Fresh Eggs	40cts ℔ doz.
Best Spring Wheat Flour	$6.00 ℔ bbl.
Best Winter Wheat Flour	$7.50 ℔ bbl.
Family Mackerel	$1.40 ℔ kitt
No. 1 Mackerel	$2.00 ℔ kitt
Prime Leaf Lard	18cts ℔ lb
Fresh Cod Fish	10cts ℔ lb
Potatoes	$1.00 ℔ bushel
Cheese	20cts ℔ lb

GRAIN

No. 1 White Oats	75cts ℔ bushel
Corn	$1.20 ℔ bushel
Feed	$2.25 ℔ cwt.
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Passenger	12:05 p. m.	12:20 p. m.
Accommodation		8:00 p. m.
GOING NORTH—		
Passenger	3:40 p. m.	4:00 p. m.
Accommodation		7:45 a. m.

W. H. STENNETT, General Passenger Agent.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

DELTA LODGE NO. 135, F. & A. M.

Regular Communications of this Lodge are held at their hall over Barras' store in Escanaba on the third Thursday in each month.

Josiah Symons, W. M. Fred Harris, S. W.
John A. Aspinall, J. W. John P. Oliver, Treas.
A. H. Freeman, Sec'y. Hugh Robertson, S. D.
Theodore Schreder, J. D. Alex Mehwald, Tyler.
M. H. Maynard, D. G. M., Marquette, Mich.

ESCANABA LODGE, NO. 118, I. O. O. F.

Regular Meetings of this Lodge are held in their hall in Escanaba, every Monday evening.

A. Greenhood, N. G. Christian Olson, V. G.
Emil Glaser, Sec'y. John Gunderson, Treas.
Emil Glaser, D. D.

RELIGIOUS.

ST. JOSEPH'S CHURCH. Rev. CHARLES LAGNIER, Pastor.—Services: Morning at 8, a. m. 10, a. m. afternoon Catechism, 3; p. m. evening 7:30, p. m.

M. E. CHURCH, Rev. P. J. Wright, Pastor—Services held in their new building every Sabbath. Preaching at 11:00 a. m. and 7:00 p. m. (seats free.) Class Meeting at 10:00 a. m.; Sabbath School at 2:00 p. m.; S. S. Teachers Meeting on Tuesday evening, at 7:30; Prayer Meeting, Thursday evening at 7:30; Church located corner of Wells Ave. and Campbell-sts.

WEATHER.

WAR DEPARTMENT, SIGNAL SERVICE OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY, DIVISION OF TELEGRAPH AND REPORTS FOR THE BENEFIT OF COMMERCE AND AGRICULTURE.

Meteorological Report for the week ending July 29th, 1875.

DAYS.	Mean Bar.	Mean Ther.	Wind Dir.	Wind Vel.	Weather.
Thurs.	29.793	64	N	8	Fair.
Friday	29.849	63	S	12	Fair.
Satur.	29.845	66	S	16	Fair.
Sunday	29.782	72	SW	16	Fair.
Mond'y	30.020	66	S	10	Clear.
Tuesd'y	29.991	63	S	10	Fair.
Wedns.	29.87	69	S	10	Fair.

Maximum temperature during the week, 81
Minimum " " " 53
Weekly Mean Barometer 29.91
" " Thermometer 68
Amount of rain fall during the week, .75 inch

S. W. NAYLOR, Sergt. Sig. Ser. U. S. A.

JOTTINGS.

Blind Tom, August 3d.

Don't leaf away the Sabbath.

Dr. Crawford coming Monday.

The Village Board rested this week.

Harvesting has begun in Wisconsin.

The raspberry crop is immense this year.

Additional local matter on opposite page.

Dedication of Odd Fellows hall August 9th.

Ice cream and cake at Sumner's restaurant.

New potatoes, $1.00 per bushel at S. W. & Co.'s.

Base ball: July 17th, Ishpemings, 30; Negaunees, 11.

It is easier to get a friend than to keep one. Ditto a wife.

John Hart has made the necessary repairs on hose cart reels.

Alfred Meads of the Ontonagon Miner has a horse that can run faster than a man.

Take your county paper if you have to go without a champaigne supper for a month.

Why don't our Sunday Schools organize a grand union picnic to some point up the bay.

Green apples have made their appearance in market, and doctors will now get a benefit.

A slight unpleasantness occurred in a family living at the west end of town, one day this week.

If you want strictly first-class work in photography, go to Boehme's gallery in Clark's block.

Lots of women condemn those "pull-back" dresses, but somehow they are all women of ugly form.

With the granger's implements of war the farmer goes forth to fight the hard-shelled potato bugs.

A number of our Fort River friends were in town on Sunday last and attended—church, to be certainly.

A refreshing shower fell on Saturday afternoon of last week giving to everything a refreshed look.

When the times are so dull that you can't do anything else, send in the pay that is due on your subscription.

Pool's garden and hot-house is again in order, notwithstanding the wreckless condition I. A. found it in on his return.

The Schr. Annie Lyons has been hauling wood from Winter's camp part of the past week, consigned to Royce and Barras.

A new base ball club has been organized and named the "Ludington" B. B. C. Probably G. T. Burns will be elected captain.

When the Old Man returns, then watch out for a new stock of paper and cardboard, envelopes, tags, &c., as that is his business "below."

It is said there are several couples in Escanaba who are improving the moonlight evenings. We advise the young men and the mothers also to beware.

Blueberries will soon be ripe and it happens just at the time of year when the boys are out of school, so they won't have to run away to go berrying.

The pay-car of the C. & N. W. R. R. passed through here on Monday, stopping long enough to gladden the boys hearts by giving them their month's pay.

"Wisconsin, My Native Home," is the latest song published by Neese & Kusterman, Green Bay, Wis., but we don't recollect of having received it as yet.

"Opened with a prayer and closed with the benediction," is the way a traveling man described the doings of the Green Bay fire department at a recent fire.

W. J. Wallace has a way of keeping apples perfectly fresh the year around and we presume he would impart the secret to his friends for a good song well sung.

Mr. H. H. Drury received from Pittsburg on Monday morning last, the full amount of his claims against the Escanaba Furnace Company, with interest to date.

H. H. Drury has added the Bangor, of Maine, to his already large list of companies. The Bangor is one of the oldest and most reliable fire insurance companies in America.

Either the good looks of the clerks, or the excellence of the soda drawn from the fountain in Royce's drug store, is an attraction which the young ladies do not attempt to resist.

Mr. Clark's time from Fort River to town last week was good, but he has a better record from Escanaba to Ford River. Last summer he made it once in 30 minutes—but there was a BULL after him.

A goodly number of the young people of our village spent an exceedingly pleasant evening, on Wednesday, at the residence of S. P. Lott. Singing and dancing was part of the programme and those present enjoyed it hugely.

A large invoice of sugars just received at Schiller, Winegar & Co's especially for the fruit season. Also, constantly on hand, fresh butter and eggs from the farms in the vicinity of Green Bay—pronounced by all the best in the market.

Boys between the age of 15 and 20 who now spend their time in idleness will have to pay dearly for it in after years, when turned out upon the world without any trade or education they are obliged to do the common laborer's work for the lowest wages.

Ben. Franklin said he could tell a nice woman by the way she kneaded her dough. But he does not inform us how to tell a nice girl in the year 1875. Now-a-days most of the "nice girls" need their mothers to knead their dough, and do all the other work for them.

The Ontonagon Miner says the Mineral Range railroad has just received another new locomotive, the "Keweenaw," making three they have now. This is probably the origin that Jimmy Green, a former Peninsula Herald boy, is amusing himself with just about now.

An old lady, on hearing that a young friend had lost his place on account of misdemeanor, exclaimed: "Miss Demeanor! Lost his place on account of Miss Demeanor! Well, well! I'm shared it's too true that there's allus a woman at the bottom of man's difficulties."

The Goodrich Transportation line is constantly growing in favor and it is not uncommon to see a box load of tourists drive to the dock to take this route for Chicago or Milwaukee. A more pleasant trip can not be imagined than a ride on the lake aboard one of their boats.

The Cedar River Lumber Co. shipped during the past two weeks from their mills at Spalding Station, over the C. & N. W. R. R. 1,600,000 shingles and 1,000,000 feet of lumber, which was transferred over the Goodrich dock and shipped to Chicago by the Schr. Milan, on Tuesday last.

We have received No. 2 of Peter's Parlor Music, containing eight piano pieces, by Dressler, Kinkel, Maylath, Wilson and Morgan all of which are highly spoken of by musicians. Published monthly by J. L. Peters, 843 Broadway, New York, at $4.00 per annum or 30 cents per annum.

A baloon passed over the western portion of the village on Monday evening last, between the hours of nine and ten. It was witnessed by a number of persons in various parts of the town and estimated to be about a mile high. It carried a red light and its course was north east. Wonder if it was Donaldson!

A man called at our office this week offering for sale a patent money drawer. We don't happen to think of anything just now which would be of so little use in this or any other section of the country—and as for a printer buying one, it would be ridiculous in the extreme unless he wished to use it to keep "sorts" in.

Mr. T. Killian, foreman of the Escanaba Fire Co. No. 1, returned home from Chicago with his wife last Saturday via Green Bay. While at the latter place he witnessed the workings of the fire department of that city, and comes home satisfied that Escanaba people move about as lively as the best of them at the sound of an alarm of fire.

The Chief Engineer has made a much needed improvement at the different fire engine docks. Boxes made of heavy plank are sunk at the end of the dock and anchored by means of stakes; a trough is arranged leading to the boxes on which to rest the suction. The water flows in from the top of the box making it impossible for the engine to suck sand.

W. Goodrich & Co., general commission merchants, Chicago, Ill., have established an agency for their house in this village in the person of Mr. R. Sutton. Our merchants can buy all kinds of fruits and vegetables of Mr. S. at a small advance on Chicago wholesale prices and be sure of having a fresh article. His headquarters are at the Ludington house.

An elderly gentleman, returning home from church, began to extol the merits of the sermon to his son. Said he: "Jack, I have heard one of the most delightful sermons ever delivered before a Christian society! It carried me to the very gate of heaven." "Why didn't you dodge in?" replied Jack; "You will never have another such chance."

During the first part of last week the gentleman whose name appears on the first page of this paper as editor and proprietor was very busy making out bills and still more so collecting them; and on Saturday last he jumped the town,—or perhaps more proper, jumped aboard the Depere and informed us that the places which knew him would know no more, at least not for a week or two, as he was going on a trip to Milwaukee and Chicago. Well, here we are, and must do the best we can under the circumstances, but hope the readers of the TRIBUNE will overlook any almightly errors which may find their way into this week's issue, as our early education was sadly neglected—in fact we don't recollect of having any at all.

Flour! Flour! Flour!

Spring Wheat and Patent Flour, the best and cheapest in the market, for sale by A. M. Bennett at the Goodrich Transportation Co.'s dock.

Dr. Crawford.

The above dentist from Menominee, will visit Escanaba on Monday next, August 2d, and remain one week. Those needing his services can find him at the residence of Dr. E. A. P. Brewster, where he always makes his headquarters.

To Tourists.

Arrangements have been made at this office, whereby tourists can be provided with an experienced guide to the famous trout lake and the fine hunting grounds adjacent by leaving orders at this office three days previous to the time the guide is required.

Groceries Delivered.

We wish to call the attention of our customers and friends living at the other end of town to the fact that we deliver goods to any part of the village twice a day free of charge. Orders promptly filled and delivered.

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Ice Cream.

R. C. Summers wishes to inform those who enjoy a good dish of ice cream, that he keeps this cooling delicacy constantly on hand, and is ever ready to supply parties or picnics with ice cream and cake at reasonable figures. Don't forget his location—just above Hiller's grocery.

Vegetables and Fruit.

Schiller, Winegar & Co. are daily receiving from Chicago and Green Bay vegetables and fruits of all kinds—raspberries, blackberries, blackberries, currants, cherries, &c., &c., received by express daily. Stone fruit jars recently received for the fruit season and to be sold cheap.

Ice Cream Festival.

The ice cream festival given last Saturday evening in Oliver's building on Tilden avenue, by the ladies of the Presbyterian church and society, passed off very pleasantly. The ice cream and cake was of the finest quality. The young ladies realized quite a handsome sum on the button-hole boquets which took very well among the young men. E. W. Gaylor helped to swell the fund by auctioning off cake, boquets, &c. in his usual amusing style. We are informed that the receipts of the evening were $50.00.

Quarterly Conference.

The fourth quarterly conference for Escanaba charge was held at the Methodist church, Wednesday evening, July 21st, Elder J. M. Gordon, presiding. Among other business transacted the following named persons were chosen stewards for the ensuing conference year: Almeron S. Rowell, Walter W. Beach, Frank Lathrop, John H. Shouler, Chas. E. Brotherton, Wm. Farrell, Mrs. Chas. E. Brotherton, Mrs. Walter W. Beach. For trustees the following persons were chosen: Chas. E. Brotherton, Almeron S. Rowell, E. A. P. Brewster, Geo. M. West, Frank Lathrop, Walter W. Beach, John H. Shouler, Peter Larson and Alexander Norman.

Heller & Schram.

In ours of last week, we made a slight error in stating that the above firm had closed the bargain and would move into the building next to where they are now. It was the current report, but it seems to have been incorrect, as the "Popular Store" will remain where it is. There is to be twenty-five feet added to their store and the shelving is being re-arranged which will make their quarters not only more convenient but also give them a better opportunity to display their stock. As soon as the work is completed, Mr. Heller is going to New York where he will purchase a heavy stock of fall goods. We are glad to see so much enterprise manifested by our merchants.

Serious Mistake about a Cereus.

The Night Blooming Cereus spoken of in ours of the 17th is doing up the job in splendid style; it will favor us with two here flowers to-night or to-morrow night. Mr. P. informs us that our mention contained a slight error in the statement that it flowers only once in several years, as it blooms regularly every year under proper treatment, as indeed do all of the cactus tribe after they are old enough to begin flowering. Probably our ideas got somewhat confounded with that other monster of the vegetable kingdom, the century plant in his garden, whose venerable antiquity makes us feel shaky in the knees, being none less than twenty-seven years old, and worth a trip of many hundreds of miles (more or less according to the number of miles) to see. Be that as it may, the balance of our brief story was correct—the Cereus blooming only in the night, opening at sunset and closing forever the next morning. The flowers exhale a delicious fragrance (I think that is the proper word), 9, 10, even 12 inches across is nothing extraordinary for it to size, the outer parts of the flower are an orange color and the inner portion white—and one interesting feature about the plant is that any one can grow it in dwellings without trouble, and Mr. Peet will instruct any purchaser how to handle it when over their.

Adler's Block.

Mr. Wm. Farrell has been busy for some time past making several alterations and improvements on the above mentioned building. Mr. A. has had a pair of winding stairs put in and a weather house (timed on the outside) placed directly over them, so that the roof can now be reached without any inconvenience whatever. Heretofore the observers had to scale a ladder and when taking night observations—with a lantern in one hand—it made it rather ungraceful to crawl through the scuttle-hole and be covered with a shower of rain or snow. Mr. Adler has had everything in connection with the government office conveniently arranged so that the boys now have one of the best appointed offices in this section of country. They moved into their new quarters on Monday last.

Excursionists from Menekaunee.

A party of gentlemen from Menekaunee arrived here on Monday last having been out one week. The trip was made in the Schr. Queen of the West, and the crew of gallant sailors are G. L. Rideale, George Westman, Billy Wilson and Dr. Ed. R. Lane. On their way to this port they stopped at Chambers Island, Fish Creek, Ephraim, Detroit, Washington Island, Fayette, and at the mouth of the Sturgeon river. At this point the party tarried some little time, leaving their boat and going up the river some eighteen miles. They saw several fine deer while passing up and down the stream, but as it was against the lay of course they didn't shoot any. It is their intention to go as far as Sault Ste Marie, returning to Menekaunee by a somewhat different route. They are a jolly set and have hit upon a most happy way of spending a few weeks in the dull business season.

Blind Tom is Coming.

There are probably none of our readers who have not heard of Blind Tom, the Musical Prodigy of the age. The offspring of common plantation slaves in the south, and possessed of neither sight nor ordinary intelligence, his musical powers are wonderful, and must be considered as nothing less than God given. He does not understand a single rudiment of written music, yet plays with accuracy and fidelity the most difficult operatic airs. He also sings German, French and Italian songs without being able to comprehend the meaning of a word. His power of memory and repetition is something wonderful. He will visit Escanaba and give a concert in Elliott's hall, next week Tuesday evening. Admission, 50 cents; children, 25 cents; reserved seats, 75 cents, for sale at C. C. Royce's drug store.

New Manufactory.

Messrs. E. Perkins & Son, formerly of Fond du Lac, Wis., have established themselves in business in our village and are engaged in the manufacture of Perkins' Corrugated Fire Proof Shutter. Their establishment is located in the Wallace building on Tilden avenue, where they are at present engaged on the shutters for S. Adler's brick block. All insurance companies recommend these shutters as the most effective protection against the fiery element. In the great Chicago fire when the old single plate shutters were curled up like so much sole-leather, these shutters retained their position and did not let the fire through, thus proving what is claimed to be—fire-proof. Mr. P. & Son inform us that the low rents and cheap transportation enable them to manufacture here and ship to Chicago or other points south and sell at figures fully as low as if they manufactured in that city. The firm have now on the way from Pittsburg several tons of sheet iron most of which they will need to fill orders already received.

A CARD.

I desire to publicly express my thanks to the Niagara Fire Insurance Co., of New York, and to Mr. L. R. Morris, Gene al Manager of that company's affairs for Michigan, for the prompt adjustment and payment of loss sustained on my furniture by the fire of Saturday, July 17th.

Escanaba, July 26th, 1875. J. N. MEADE.

A CARD.

EDITOR TRIBUNE:—Will you kindly permit me to express through your columns my heartfelt thanks to my many friends for their kindness to myself and family during our recent bereavement. I earnestly hope that if any of them meet with a similar misfortune that it may be their lot to be surrounded by a like number of friends and neighbors. Again let me say that I thank all for their kind interest manifested in our behalf. JAMES HAFFNER.

DIED.

HAFFNER—In this village on Saturday evening, July 24th, 1875, at 11:30 o'clock, Mrs. MARGARET HAFFNER, wife of JAMES HAFFNER, aged 34 years, 4 months and 20 days.

"In the midst of life we are in death."

Never was this more strikingly illustrated than in the death of Mrs. Haffner. She was taken sick at two o'clock on Friday morning and expired at half-past eleven the following Saturday night. Mrs. H. was born near Bangor, Wales, on the fifteenth of March, 1841, and came to this part of the country with her parents when about four or five years of age, living at or near this place ever since. She was married to Mr. Haffner at Flat Rock, on the fifteenth of January, 1858, and leaves five children—the eldest one of which, Mrs. L. S. Goodman, is married—to deplore a host of friends to mourn her loss. She was a loving wife, kind mother, good neighbor and an exemplary Christian, beloved by all who knew her. The funeral took place Monday morning and was the largest ever witnessed in this place, there being thirty-two conveyances in attendance. The procession left the house at 9:30 o'clock and proceeded from thence to the St. Joseph's Catholic Church where the services were held.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

If you want to go west, get one of those solid trunks at Adler's and go on your way rejoicing.

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Cow Lost.

Strayed from my premises in this village on or about the fifteenth of last May, a red and white spotted cow, about 5 years old and of average size. Any person who will give information that will return her to the owner will be suitably rewarded. (3w4) JOHN GUNDERSON.

Notice.

TOWNSHIP OF FAIRBANKS, Delta Co., Mich., July 31st, 1875.

To the owner, owners or master of Schr. Katie Lassie of Green Bay, Wis.

You are hereby notified that you have been assessed the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars ($125.00) upon the business of selling spirituous and intoxicating liquor at retail, under the provisions of the act providing for the taxation of the business of manufacturing and selling spirituous and intoxicating malt, brewed or fermented liquors, approved May 31, 1875, and that I will be present at my office on Wednesday the twenty-fourth day of August, 1875, from eight o'clock A. M. until twelve o'clock noon, and from one o'clock in the afternoon until five o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving such assessment.

J. B. KITCHEN, Supervisor.

Stove Wood For Sale.

J. F. Oliver & Co. have now on hand and for sale a large quantity of good, dry stove-wood. Orders left at their office on the dock will be attended to promptly.

Basement to Rent.

S. Adler offers his basement for rent for storage. This cellar, under his brick block, is frost proof and affords a rare chance for storage for those who have potatoes or other vegetables to keep through the winter. Insurance can be had for 1½ per cent. on goods stored in this basement.

HAY FOR SALE.

I have a contract of No. 1 Timothy Hay for sale at Goodrich Dock.

A. M. BENNETT, Agent.

Notes Lost!

Notice is hereby given, that I have recently lost three promissory notes, two of which were executed by A. M. J. McDonald—one for $100, and the other for $50,—and one executed by J. McDonald for $21.50, all of which notes were past due. All persons are notified not to purchase them as I have stopped the payment thereof.

Dated July 19th, 1875. MICHAEL FEE.

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The saloon Billiard table, formerly used in A. M. Kent's room, is offered for sale cheap for cash. Complete with cues, cue rack, pool board, cover, brush, &c. For particulars inquire of

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The Flowers.

They neither toil nor spin;
And yet their robes have won
A splendor never seen within
The courts of Solomon.

Tints that the cloud-rifts hold,
And rainbow gossamer,
The violet's tender form enfold;
No queen is draped like her.

All heaven and earth and sea
Have wrought with subtlest power
That clothed in purple she might be—
This little fading flower.

We, who must toil and spin,
What clothing shall we wear?
The glorious raiment we shall win
Life shapes us everywhere.

God's inner heaven hath sun,
And rain, and space of sky,
Where through for us his spindles run,
His mighty shuttles fly.

His seamless vesture white
He wraps our spirits in;
He weaves his finest webs of light
For us, who toil and spin.

—*Lucy Larcom's Idyl of Work.*

FARM, GARDEN AND HOUSEHOLD.

Useful Recipes.

To CLEAN and restore the elasticity of cane chair bottoms: Turn the chair bottoms upward, and with hot water and a sponge wash the cane; work well, so that it is well soaked; should it be dirty, use soap, let it dry in the air, and it will be as tight and firm as new, provided none of the canes are broken.

THE easiest way to hold pearls, in order to drill or otherwise cut them, is to fit them loosely in holes bored in a piece of wood. A few drops of water sprinkled about the aperture cause the wood fibers to swell and hold the gems firmly. When the wood dries the pearls fall out.

GUNS and rifles may be easily cleaned from lead by the following: If a muzzle loader, stop up the nipple or communication hole with a little wax, or, if a breech-loader, insert a cork in the breech rather tightly; next pour some quicksilver into the barrel, and put another cork in the muzzle, then proceed to roll it up and down the barrel, shaking it about for a few minutes. The mercury and the lead will form an amalgam, and leave the barrel as clean and free from lead as the first day it came out of the shop. The same quicksilver can be used repeatedly, by straining it through wash-leather; for the lead will be left behind in the leather, and the quicksilver will be again fit for use.

ALL light woods may be dyed by immersion. A fine crimson is made as follows: Take 1 lb of ground Brazil, boil in 3 quarts of water, add ¼ oz. of cochineal, and boil another half hour; may be improved by washing the wood previously with ½ oz. saffron to 1 quart of water; the wood should be pear wood or sycamore. Purple satin: 1 lb. logwood chips, soak in three quarts of water, boil well an hour; add 4 ozs. pearl ash, 2 ozs. powdered indigo. Black may be produced by copperas and nutgalls, or by japanning with two coats of black japan, after which varnish or polish, or use size and lampblack previously to laying on japan. A blue satin: 1 lb. of oil of vitriol put in glass bottle with 4 ozs. indigo; lay on the same as black. A fine green: 3 pints of the strongest vinegar, 4 ozs. best powdered verdigris (poison), ½ oz. sap green, ¼ oz. indigo. A bright yellow may be stained with aloe; the whole may be varnished or polished.

A good way to clean black kid gloves is to take a teaspoonful of salad oil, drop a few drops of ink in it, and rub it over the gloves with the tip of a feather; then let them dry in the sun.—*Scientific American.*

To Prevent Cheese Crusts Cracking.

One plan is adopted at the factories to prevent the crusts of the cheese from cracking, and getting in summer, "flyblown." When the cheese is taken out of the press, and ready for removal to the room for ripening (or "curing," as it is generally put), a circular piece of thin paper (like "cap" paper), cut the full size of the flat surface of the cheese, is laid upon it, and then a hot flat-iron (same as used in ironing our linen) is passed over the paper to and fro several times until the paper is fully attached, and almost forms part of the crust. This of course is done to both surfaces of the cheese.

The rim is fully covered with a calico binder, which is put on after the curd has been sufficiently long in the cheese vat to make it solid enough to handle, when it is taken out of the vat, the binder placed around it, and then put into the press, where it remains about the same length of time, as is given at home.—*Cor. English Paper.*

Convenient Labels.

One-half the pleasure in growing our plants arises from the knowledge of their names and whence they come. In fact, we desire some little memorandum that will remind us, every time we look at them what their title is, what their native country, from whom procured, and sometimes additional remarks of an explanatory character. An ordinary flat surface would have to be too large and unsightly, so we use a four-sided stake, one and three quarters inches in diameter, planed smooth, and painted white. They should be about twelve or fifteen inches in length and pointed. When desired for use, rub lightly over the surface a thin coat of paint, and write thereon with a lead-pencil, which will last for two or three seasons distinctly.

The four-sided stake or label is preferable, as it is comparatively inconspicuous, gives a greater amount of surface for writing upon, and always looks neat. It is especially adapted for rose beds, groups of flowering shrubs, or masses of hardy border plants. True, it has not the merit of being imperishable; in fact, it should be replaced rather too frequently, but we like the appearance of wooden labels and we like to write upon them. The four-side stake for supporting roses and other plants may be utilized as labels by painting, say six inches of the top white, whilst the remainder looks best green. This top may then serve the same purpose as the above named label.—*Horticulturist.*

Vermin on Fowls.

There are at least three different kinds of lice which infest poultry and their quarters. (We do not now include *acarus*, that produces what is known as "poultry itch" and scabby or scurvy legs," etc.) There is the large louse found for the most part in the heads of young chicks. This is quite destructive to the broods, and by some it is supposed to be the parent of the gape worm. Whether this supposition is true or not, this louse will certainly destroy young chicks unless it is removed and the broods protected from its attacks. Then there is the common body louse, found mostly under the wings and the more inaccessible parts of the skin. These are, perhaps, the least noxious of any of the different kinds; but they evidently annoy the fowls, and should not be allowed to remain on them.

The third class of lice is the small red "mite," found only in the house or roosting places and nests. These are perhaps, the most annoying and troublesome to the fowls of all, and are more numerous than either of the other kinds. They may be found in nearly all roosts and houses that have been used by fowls one or more years where special care has not been exercised to exterminate them. They stay in crevices on the roosts or walls and nest boxes during the day and creep upon the fowls and feed at night. They are seldom found on the fowls during the day, except on sitting hens. These are the ones that are so annoying to the brooding hens, forcing them to abandon their nests. They are sometimes found in great numbers in the neglected quarters.—*N. Y. Herald.*

Chicken Cholera.

This name is given to almost any disorder that plays havoc among our fowls. Mr. Wright concludes "that many cases have been termed cholera which had no claim whatever to that title, but were clearly to be diagnosed as disorders of the liver, and to be treated accordingly." We are satisfied that diarrhœa, dysentery and other ailments are often mistaken for this plague, and the bird dosed until it turns up its toes and the carcass is almost as full of "villainous compounds" as a second-class drug store. Drugs that have entirely different and even opposite effects on the system are credited with having cured the worst cases of cholera. One funny poultryman, who knew the power of printer's ink, asked through the columns of a leading journal for a cholera cure. He says he has received one hundred and fifty-nine sure cures" and the promise of seventeen more.

True cholera does not differ much, whether in man or fowl—runs very nearly a similar course, and in a majority of cases the victim's days are numbered. Among the first symptoms are diarrhœa and thirst, the bird attacked hurrying to the drinking vessel, and frequently never leaving it. The droppings are first of a greenish character, often quickly changing into the "rice water," and the sulphur and water discharges not widely differing from those attending the disease in the human patient. Rapid prostration comes on, and the fowl may be found lying near the drinking vessel too weak to walk. The peculiar "anxious" look characteristic of cholera in the human subjects is said by some authorities to be noticeable. Cramps may supervene, and after some tumbling about the fatal termination occurs, and the victim needs interment.

It is most apt to occur in crowded yards where the birds are exposed to the hot rays of the sun, and the supply of drinking water becomes warm and filthy. In one instance that came under our observation the fowls had no water furnished them, and were compelled to drink from dirty, stinking pools around a large manure pile. In another, decaying vegetable food was the exciting cause of disease. A neighbor kept his chickens in two flocks—one had access to a patch of half-rotten melons, and the cholera took off nearly every one—while the other flock right alongside, with the same care and feeding, but no chance at the melons, escaped almost entirely, although only a picket fence separated them.

Treatment, if any, must be afforded promptly. As the disease usually runs its course in from 12 to 36 hours, but little time is given for treatment. It is almost sure to spend its fury in a few days, and leave only a few hardy birds that "stand the storm" without the assistance of the doctor, and if left alone might get through without medicines. Of course the first thing to be done is to remove the cause. Provide cool shade, fresh water, and proper food. Fumigate and disinfect the fowl houses, coops and roosting places. Bury the dead at once, and the dying might as well be hurried a little, so as to go with them. Then, if you want to give some physic, try capsicum and Venetian-red mixed with soft food for those willing to eat, or put a grain of each into a bolus or bread-pill, and make the patient take one every two or four hours. If "old school" enough you may use calomel and bismuth, grain doses of each every few hours. Brandy, with as much water, in teaspoonful doses every hour or two, has been recommended. Laudanum, ten drops in a teaspoonful of brandy and water, has its advocates, while Wright says about sixty per cent. ought to get well if treated in time, by the use every three hours of rhubarb five grains, cayenne pepper two grains, and ten drops of laudanum. He also advises the use of McDougall's Fluid Carbolate in five-drop doses with brandy and water, or ten drops of the preparation added to a pint of drinking water kept cool.

We need hardly say that it is our opinion that with plenty of fresh, pure water, healthful food, and cool shade, the visitations of cholera would occur but seldom.—*F. W. Byers, in Poultry Argus.*

Management of Geese.

Geese are naturally great wanderers, and for that reason they require a home of their own; especially when harvest time approaches does this need appear. If allowed to run they destroy more than they are worth. A small piece of pasture land, through which runs a brook, is best calculated for geese; even if the brook is small, they will love it, and with sticks and leaves dam it up until they have a convenient place to wade and dive; they love to keep clean.

Inclose their home with a good fence During the laying season, which commences as early as March, feed corn, buckwheat, oats, etc. If cooked and fed warm it is much better. Geese also dearly love crumbs from the table, such as pancakes and potatoes, cut into small pieces and fed warm; feed this once a day, and the above mentioned, as much as the geese will eat without leaving any. A little salt in their food improves it; and also a quantity of lobbered milk, if you have it, added after the food is cooked.

If you have no nice little house for the goose to make her nest in, place a barrel in an elevated part of her lot or home, turn it on its side, place the open end toward the south, put in a few quarts of horse manure; over this put plenty straw; she requires enough to lay her eggs on and cover them with, for she never leaves them uncovered. Our word for it, Goosie will not refuse such a place for her nest, at least we never knew her to. She generally lays two litters of eggs each season; from five to twelve in a litter. When she shows signs of sitting give her twelve to thirteen eggs to sit upon; do not let her sit before the middle of April, or better still, the first of May. Goslings are a tender bird, and do not thrive well in chilly weather. After the goose has been setting one month look out for the goslings; they are of a handsome green color; As they come out of the shell and sit close to the mother they are a pretty sight. About that time the gander will fight as if he meant to kill anything that comes near.—*Poultry Graphic.*

A Mild Tale of the Grasshopper.

The story I will tell as it was told to me, without a guarantee of truth. Early last spring an old woman dug up a pan full of dirt in which to plant flower seed. She put the pan under the stove, not once thinking of grasshopper eggs, and went out to see a neighbor. Upon returning, after an hour's absence, she found thousands of millions of grasshoppers, generated from the eggs by the heat, literally eating her out of house and home. They first attacked the green shades on the windows, and then a green dust pan. A green Irish servant girl, asleep in one of the rooms, was the next victim, and not a vestige of her was left. The stove and stove pipe were next eaten, and then the house was torn down so that they could get at the chimney. Boards, joists, beams, clothing, nails, hinges, door-knobs, tinware, plates, everything in fact the house contained, was eaten up, and the last the good woman saw of the place, two of the largest 'hoppers were sitting up on end playing mumble-the-peg with a carving-knife to see which should have the cellar.—*Cincinnati Com.*

THE biggest grave in the world is that of the Dead Sea.

FOR THE BOYS AND GIRLS.

Chickens.

BY ROSE TERRY COOKE.

"I didn't!" says Chip. "You did!" says Peep.
"How do you know?—you were fast asleep."
"I was under Mammy's wing,
Stretching my legs like anything,
When all of a sudden I turned around,
For close beside me I heard a sound—
A little tap, and a little tap."
"Fiddle-de-dee! You'd had a nap,
And, when you were only half awake,
Heard an icicle somewhere break."
"What's an icicle?" "I don't know;
Rooster tells about ice and snow,
Something that isn't as good as meal,
That drops down on you and makes you squeal."
"Well! swallow Rooster's tales, I beg!
And think you didn't come out of an egg!
I tell you I heard the old shell break,
And the first small noise you ever could make;
And Mammy croodled, and puffed her breast,
And pushed us farther out of the nest,
Just to make room enough for you;
And there's your shell,—I say it's true!"
Chip looked over his shoulder then,
And there it lay by the old gray hen—
Half an egg-shell, chipped and brown,
And he was a ball of yellow down,
Clean and chipper, and smart and spry,
With the pertest bill and the blackest eye.
"H'm!" said he, with a little perk,
"That is a wonderful piece of work!
Peep, you silly! don't you see
That shell isn't nearly as big as me?
Whatever you say, Miss, I declare
I never, never, could get in there!"
"You did!" says Peep. "I didn't!" says Chip:
With that he gave her a horrid nip,
And Peep began to dance and peck,
And Chip stuck out his wings and neck.
They pranced, and struck, and capered about,
Their toes turned in and their wings spread out,
As angry as two small chicks could be,
Till Mother Dorking turned to see.
She cackled and clucked, and called in vain—
At it they went with might and main,—
Till, at last, the old hen used her beak,
And Peep and Chip, with many a squeak,
Staggered off on either side,
With a very funny skip and stride.
"What dreadful nonsense!" said Mother Hen,
When she heard the story [illegible];
"You 're bad as the two-legs that don't have wings,
Nor feathers nor combs—the wretched things!
That's the way they fight and talk
For what is n't worth a mullen-stalk.
What does it matter, I'd like to know,
Where you came from, or where you go?
Keep your temper and earn your food;
I can't scratch worms for a fighting brood.
I wont have quarrels—I will have peace;
I hatched out chickens, so don't be geese!"
Chip scratched his ear with his yellow claw,
The meekest chicken that ever you saw;
And Peep in her feathers curled one leg,
And said to herself: "But he *was* an egg!"

—*St. Nicholas for August.*

Umbrellas in the East.

FANNIE ROPER FUDGE.

All over the East the umbrella has been used from remote ages, though at first mainly as an emblem of royalty. But for centuries past these useful appendages have afforded shelter to all classes from the fierce storms and burning sunshine of those fervid climes. In form and size the ordinary umbrella is nearly like our own, but the material is silk, or paper beautifully painted or glazed, and thus rendered perfectly waterproof. Though not very durable, these umbrellas are light and pretty, and so very cheap—about twenty cents each—that one does not mind their wearing out occasionally. They have been made and used in China, in just the same style, for fifteen centuries, and in the neighboring countries for perhaps nearly as long a time.

The *state* umbrella is quite a different affair—much larger and of the richest materials. It is placed over the royal couches, thrones, and chairs quite as generally as carried in the open air. They are borne by high officers over the king and other members of the royal family wherever they go, and "umbrella holders" are recognized members of the royal household both in Burmah and Siam. One of the numerous titles of His Majesty of Siam is "Lord of the White Elephant and Supreme Owner of the Umbrella"—that is, of the umbrella of state, which it would be high treason to raise over any head but that of the king. It is of crimson or purple silk, very richly embroidered in precious stones, lined usually with white satin, inwrought with silver flowers and seed pearls in exquisite clusters, and trimmed with heavy gold fringe and costly lace. Sometimes, on great occasions, umbrellas are carried in tiers of two, three, and five, one above the other, diminishing in size toward the top, and forming a perfect pyramid; while from the rim of each umbrella depend scores of tiny gold or silver bells, which, moved by the passing breeze, make sweet music, that floats upon the air like the sounds of an Æolian harp. In Burmah the king's umbrella is white, and that of the court red while in the royal city; but elsewhere they carry gold or gilded ones; and always over the dead bodies of the nobility are placed gold umbrellas, usually the gift of the sovereign. Both in Burmah and Siam there are many state umbrellas, all of precisely the same pattern, and one or more is carried over the king's head on all occasions, whether sitting or reclining, riding or walking, at home or abroad.

The Emperor of China, who never does anything in moderation, has *twenty-four* umbrellas carried before him whenever he goes out hunting—perhaps as a protection against wild beasts. But then, as he has an equal or larger number to herald his coming on other occasions, we may conclude it is only a love of displaying his wealth of grandeur—rather an absurd display it would seem to us. The heir to the crown has ten umbrellas, and other princes and nobles five, three, two, and one, respectively, according to their rank. So one may usually read the rank of a noble he sees approaching by the number and style of his umbrellas, as he discovers the rank of a mandarin, or civil officer, by the color of his buttons. —*St. Nicholas for August.*

The Wishing-Stone, and How It Was Lost.

EMILY HUNTINGTON MILLER.

It was so long ago that nobody is alive who remembers anything about it. There was an old woman, a hundred years old. Her grandmother told her the story, and she wrote it down with a heron's feather—a great white heron that flew over between dawn and daylight, and there was only a gray speck against the gray sky. The grandmother was a witch, and understood what the birds said, and that is how she came to hear the sparrows at Lilbury Abbey say to each other it was a good thing the wishing-stone was lost, since so much trouble came of it. This is the true story of how it happened: the brown sparrow told it to the stone man on the monument, while his mate brooded her eggs. The stone man held the nest in the hollow of his hand, and stood quite still, night and day, not to disturb it.

"They are sweeter than the sweetest, the roses that grow in the garden, and all the blossoms have tongues of gold. When the wind blows over them they ring together, and the music is rare as the Christmas chimes up in the steeple."

"I have heard it," said the mate, ruffling her throat.

"There is a fountain. The water goes up, up, high as the lark goes, and when it comes down it is all pearls, and rubies, and bits of rainbows. It sings, too, and no one can guess what the music is like."

"I have heard it," said the mate, her wings trembling with ecstasy.

"The road to the mountain passes through the garden, and the gates are always open, because the Princess will have it so. One is called Morning Gate, and that is where the people enter. They go on by the rose-walk until they come to the fountain. When one looks through the spray, the mountain is very beautiful; all its roads lie in sunshine, and the city seems near by. So the people hasten on, and presently they cannot see the rose garden, and they never come back. I should come back, Petra."

"And I," said the little mate, but the stone man listened, and did not say a word.

Long ago the wishing-stone lay by the fountain; a broad, white stone, like those in the Abbey there. The stone was enchanted. A Troll put it there, and whoever sat upon it had whatever he first wished; but if he wished anything selfishly, he was turned into a hard, smooth stone, and the Troll carried him away to build his palace underground. A great many people came into the garden, then, who never went out, but the Princess could not undo the spell or take away the stone. The last person who sat upon it was a beggar girl. She was poor, she was lame, she was hunch-backed, and she was always hungry. She sat down upon the stone, and laid her crutches on the grass beside her. Two little birds sang in her ear, one on the right and one on the left. They were enchanted too. One sang "Wishiwas! wishiwas!" and the other sang "Wishihad! wishihad!" So the beggar-girl looked up at the blue sky and the bright drops falling from the fountain, and began to wish.

"I wish all the sick folks, and the tired folks, and the lonesome folks, could come and hear what the water sings about, and what nice talk the trees make to the wind."

"Wishiwas! whishihad!" sang the little birds, and she wished again.

"I wish all the poor children who work in the mills, and pick up rags, and never have good times, could come here, and smell the roses and feel the sunshine."

"Wishihad! wish, wishihad!" sang the birds, so soft she might have thought the song was in her heart.

"I wish all the poor babies, and the very littlest children, and the old, old people, could come here and look at the fountain, and may be have a flower to keep for their very own."

Just as she said this she sprang up, for the wishing-stone began to sink into the ground, and when she turned about there was nothing but a smooth little hollow like a nest, brimful of daisies and buttercups. For you see she had broken the spell by wishing three wishes for others, and never once thinking of herself. They say she had all her wishes, but that was the end of the stone, and for my part I think it is well it was lost. When one has many wishes, some of them are sure to be foolish.

"That is very true," said the mate; "but no one knew what the stone man thought about it.—*St. Nicholas for August.*

Some Remarkable Rifle Practice.

Though we are not all marksmen from the cradle up, as an Irish paper flatteringly intimates, it is yet true that there are a great many men in this country besides the American team that can draw a very correct bead on small objects at long range. One of these is an elderly Virginian named Beckwith, whose exploits are narrated by the Richmond Whig. The old gentleman fired seven times with an old flint-lock, and only missed his aim once. His first attempt was at a potato held by his son between his thumb and forefinger at a distance of fifty yards. The rifle cracked and the potato fell shattered in several places. One of the small pieces was then thrown into the air, the marksman keeping at the same distance and again the shot told. An inch and a half auger was then produced, and a hole bored in the fence, behind which was fastened a piece of white paper. At the distance of sixty yards the marksman sent a ball clear through the aperture, piercing the paper. At the fourth shot, from sixty yards distance, the bowl of a pipe which the son was smoking was crushed. At the fifth shot a copper cent was thrown in the air and hit. The sixth and seventh shots were delivered at a blackened five-cent nickel piece thrown up by the son, standing about thirty yards off. At the first attempt the shot missed. The old gentleman showed considerable mortification, and laid the blame on a bystander, who at the critical moment sneezed loudly. The next attempt, however, was an entire success. The old man declined any further trials of his skill, and when offered a sum of money to repeat his first feat of shooting a potato from his son's hand he refused, saying he didn't care to try any such experiment unles his weapon was freshly cleaned.

Mud Slides.

The boys of New Albany, Ind., have a novel amusement which beats "coasting" out of sight. It is called the mud-slide, and the local papers describe it as follows: "A mud slide—the boys have another name for the arrangement—is made by tramping out a hollow on the sloping river-bank, and then, by means of water carried from the river in the hats of the boys, making the slide soft, and as 'smooth as glass.' Care being taken to remove any substance that would be liable to render sitting on the slide at all uncomfortable. After the slide is completed, the boys procure an old skiff or canoe, and laboriously pull the vessel to the top of the slide, where they fill it with boys from stem to stern, and giving it a push, slide into the water with the velocity of a bullet shot from a gun. Another amusement is for a string of boys to sit down in the slide and let it glide smoothly into the river, closely following one another. This latter plan has its disadvantages, however."

Immense Oyster-Shell Mounds in Maine.

Prof. W. D. Gunning writes to the Bath (Me.) Times in regard to the shell-heaps at Damariscotta. He reckons that within an area of 100 rods in length and 80 in width there are piled 100,000,000 bushels of oyster-shells. And all that refuse thrown down by human eaters. One dome-shaped hillock is nearly 100 feet in height. He thinks that the multitude of eaters may not have been great, but that the hillocks tell of time rather than number. Within the memory of man, the oyster has not lived in this river. Stone gouges, arrow-heads, bone needles, pottery, and copper knives are the only human relics found among the shells. No geological event of any moment has occurred since the formation of the heaps. The Wickaset Oracle says it is rumored that a human skeleton has been recently picked up in the shell-heaps.

Disappointed.

A colored man, employed as a deck-hand on a propeller, was rushing around town yesterday and inquiring where the polls were.

"Polls? Polls!" repeated a citizen. "Why, there's no election going on now."

"There hain't?"

"No, sir."

The man stood for a moment looking greatly disappointed, and then turned for the river with the remark:

"And now do programme is to find dat sleek young man who said dey was paying six dollars apiece for votes!"—*Detroit Free Press.*

THE Boston school committee have passed an order that, at the beginning of the next school year, four public schools for kindergarten instruction shall be established there, to admit children at the age of three years, and to continue the course of instruction for four years, with a kindergarten teacher for each school, and the necessary apparatus.

THE power of fortune is confessed only by the miserable, for the happy impute all their success to prudence and merit.

FOR THE LADIES.

A Dirge.

HELEN ANGELL GOODWIN.

She did her duty long and well,
As daughter, sister, mother, wife,
And yet a cloud was on her life,
Though what it was we could not tell.

We saw it in her saddest eye,
We heard it in her wistful tone,
And when she thought herself alone,
We knew she wept; we knew not why.

At last upon a bed of pain,
From which she was no more to rise,
A glory came into her eyes
And joy into her voice again.

"I know that my Redeemer lives,
And, though this body faint and die,
I shall behold him by-and-by.
My Saviour lives! My God forgives!"

And so to him her spirit went.
Blessed are they who mourn for sin;
Eternal comfort they shall win,
For God shall count them innocent.

Trifles for the Ladies.

A NEW definition for an old maid is—a woman that has been made for a long time.

"COME and meet me in the gloaming, John," she wrote; and when the time came John wasn't there. He subsequently explained that he couldn't find such a place.

THE husband of Julia Ward Howe is very ill, and when the doctor told Julia to prepare for the worst, she asked, excitedly, if there was a prospect of his getting better.

MRS. HENNESSY of Boston, allowed her husband to squander her fortune as he pleased, until he paid a thousand dollars for a monument to put over his first wife's grave. Then Mrs. Hennessy was the occasion of a row.

MRS. WILSON, nee Miss Augusta J. Evans, the distinguished southern authoress, has just completed what will probably be the last of her literary works, as her husband has obtained from her a promise that she will write no more.

A WOMAN of Indianapolis has shown that she could be as murderously brutal as almost any man. She pursued her rival in love into a closet, shot her fatally, and then, patting her revolver gleefully, exclaimed: "Oh, quiver! That's right, die hard! I enjoy this, I do!"

THE little Hartford girl who gave utterance to the following idia was puzzling her mind with a problem that has bothered the world for ages. She was reproved for some childish act, and seating herself on the floor at her mother's feet reflected for a long time and then looking up said: "Ma! Why is it that naughty things are so nice?"

A WRITER describing the bravery of the women of China says: "During a fierce conflict with pirates in the Chinese Sea there was a pirate's wife in one of the boats, holding so fast by the helm that she could scarcely be taken away. Having two cutlasses, she defended herself and some wounded soldiers, but on being wounded by a matchlock ball, she fell back into the vessel and was taken a prisoner.

WOMAN'S duties in the English rural districts in the time of Henry VIII. are thus described by a writer of the time: "It is a wyves occupation to wyhowe all menner of cornes, to make malte, to washe and wringe, to make heve, shove corne (reap), and in time of neede to help her husband to fill the much heyne, to drive the ploughs, to load haye, corne, and such other. And to go ryde to market and sell butter, cheese, milk, eggs, checkyns, copons, beeves, piggies, geese and all manner of corne."

The Latest Fashions.

SUMMER DRESSES.

Among imported dresses are Scotch gingham suits of endless variety, made in cool gray and white stripes and Centennial brown striped with blue. These are sold ready-made for $20, but ingenius needle-women can make them at home at far less expense, and in styles equally good that will not vex the patience of the laundress. They invariably have a basque and an overskirt. Their pretty effect is given by making this basque and apron bias, so that the stripes will meet diagonally in the back and front, and the plaids will appear to be set bias. Plaitings are not easily ironed, but they add style to the suit, especially to the striped ginghams, where a certain stripe is arranged on top of each plait. White pearl buttons, or shaded ones of buffalo horn, with shank and ring, are used on these dresses. Imported suits are cut low at the throat in V shape, but those made to order are very high around the neck and finished with a plaiting, or else a Byron or an English collar. Pale blue and white plaid gingham suits are cool and fresh-looking for summer mornings, and are preferred by some to the dark indigo blue; these look very pretty also over black silk skirts. In some cases white open Hamburg-work is used for trimming them instead of plaiting, while others have bias gathered ruffles with scalloped edges neatly overcast in button-hole stitch. Plaid and striped plaitings are now often cut bias, and are very pretty. Brown and white gingham and percale suits in small checks, blocks, and in broken plaids are very stylish, and are used for short journeys or for morning shopping or strolls in the country, instead of the gray linen suits so much worn for two years past.

Batiste remains in favor for summer dresses, and is most popular in dark blue, gray, and ecru shades. Blue batiste—which is sheer lawn, not to be confounded with heavy glazed linen—is trimmed with ecru guipure insertion and lace, white guipure, Irish lace, and also with open English embroidery on white muslin. A row of ecru insertion and lace around the belted basque and over-skirt is sufficient trimming for these dresses, and is very effective; the lower skirt should have one or two side plaitings. One very unique suit has the sleeves and flounces of white cambric, wrought all over with open compass patterns, while the basque and both skirts are of blue batiste. Neat and useful suits for $18 have two skirts and a double-breasted English walking jacket with pockets on the sides.

FLANNEL COSTUMES.

Seaside costumes for morning are made of plaid flannel of fine light quality. Black irregular plaids on white are most fashionable. This flannel is used merely for the basque or jacket and overskirt. It is trimmed with bias bands of black silk, and is worn over a black silk skirt. The plaid parts are cut bias and trimmed with shaded pearl buttons. At the furnishing houses what is technically called a costume is merely a basque and overskirt, and such costumes of the plaids just described are marked $33. Fine pressed flannel costs 60 or 75 cents a yard; twilled flannels are more costly. White twilled flannels as soft and light as camel's-hair stuffs are chosen for handsome suits, and are worn over black velvet skirts. Bias bands of black velvet, with cuffs, collar, buttons and bows, trim the white overdress.

NETTED SILK, ETC.

Netted silk to trim chip bonnets is the latest importation from Paris. Brown, blue and white scarfs of this netted silk are tied around the crown with long ends hanging behind. The color matches the flowers or feather tips that are used on the bonnet. The fancy for using white tulle veils and scarfs has brought colored tulle into vogue again. Handsome bonnets for the gay drive on summer afternoons now have rose or pale blue tulle twisted around the crown with a long end hanging that may serve as a veil and scarf. Cream white tulle is also found to be very becoming. Dark blue grenadine that is almost black is used for veils of morning and travelling hats.

VARIETIES.

French dressmakers use silver braid for trimming cashmere suits for the country and seaside, and wider silver galloon is used for binding the hats worn with these dresses. Pale blue India cashmere, wrought all over with this braid, makes the basque and apron, while the sleeves and skirt may be either black or blue faille.

Basques are more trimmed than they were last season. A collar of some kind reaching low down on the breast is seen on most basques; this may be only a plain reverse, either round or square-cornered, or else it may be formed of small plaits laid the whole length of the collar and edged with a plaited frill; this fashion is very pretty in grenadine. Another fancy is that of making the front like a vest covered with very narrow plaits, reaching from the throat to the end of the basque. A similar row of plaiting trims the middle of the back of the basque. When the back of the wearer is straight and slender, very little trimming is used, and the long side forms begin high on the shoulders. To ornament such dresses the middle of the basque below the belt is trimmed with four or five rows of fine knife plaiting, giving fulness on the tournure. When two colors such as blue and gray are used in a basque, the color that is most becoming to the wearer should be placed in the middle, next the face, thus the vest front and the middle forms of the back should be blue, while the long side forms meeting above the shoulders, and all those parts under the arms, are gray. The sleeves should then be blue, with gray plaitings around the cuffs.

Long aprons reaching to the foot now look very bare unless they are much trimmed. Tall ladies outline other aprons by trimmings placed parallel with the lower edge of the apron, while short figures are given an appearance of length by having perpendicular rows down the apron. Thus aprons of white nansook or organdy have two or three rows of Valenciennes insertion and lace placed at wide intervals across the apron, or else three rows are placed lengthwise on the front breadth. Hamburg insertion on muslin in thick or in open work is also used in this way.—*Harper's Bazar.*

THE MONTANA.

Arrival of a Marine Novelty.

From the N. Y. Herald, July 18th.

The new screw steamer Montana, of the Williams & Guion line, which arrived at this port yesterday afternoon after a passage of about eight days and a-half from Queenstown to Sandy Hook, is, perhaps, the pioneer of a new style of ocean-going passenger and freight steamers. She is clipper-built, her sides being smooth, to offer the least resistance to the water. Her model, designed by Mr. Stephen B. Guion, the managing director of the line and the superintendent engineer, is peculiar in the formation of her ends and her sides, she having a long, hollow bow, intended to throw the water off instead of allowing it to come aboard the ship, while the sides are, as nautical men term it, "tumble home sides," having a "fall in" of seven feet on each side from the turn of the bilge; this formation is calculated to combine great strength with safety, as the ship is much easier in a seaway than the usual model. The following are her principal dimensions: Length over all, 495 feet; breadth of beam on main deck, 45 feet; depth of hold, 33 feet. She has four decks, including the hurricane deck. She is brig rigged, and can show a large amount of canvas when she has her staysails and trysail set.

Her enthusiastic commander says she can sail like a witch, and believes he can beat anything crossing the Atlantic. She came across working her engines at three-quarter speed, with an average of fifty revolutions of her screw, which gave a result of fourteen knots an hour. With sixty revolutions, it is computed she would make sixteen knots. Her engines are of the direct acting compound class, with one high pressure cylinder inverted, two low-pressure cylinders horizontal, with surface condensers. One cylinder is of 60 inches diameter, and two are of 113 inches, with 42 inches stroke. The engines are of 900-horse power nominal, but may be worked up to 4,200. Her shaft is 23 inches in diameter.

The saloon is situated forward of the funnel, and is sumptuously fitted. She can accommodate 72 saloon passengers, 198 in the second cabin, and 1,200 steerage passengers, and all the modern improvements have been adopted for their comfort.

Her commander, James Allport Guard, was formerly on the Wyoming, Colorado, Idaho, Nebraska, Nevada, and has never had an accident of any kind, and among the subordinates are some of the oldest officers of the Williams & Guion fleet, as follows: Mr. Quinn, late captain of the steamship Minnesota, as chief officer; Mr. Gleig as second officer. Mr. Hughes as third officer and Mr. Johnson as fourth officer; purser, Mr. Robert Thorpe; surgeon, Dr. O'Leary, chief engineer, Mr. John White; second engineer, Mr. Kermode and five others; John Mitchell, chief steward, and Mrs. Payne, stewardess.

A Mislaid Letter—$10,000 Lost for Six Months.

The Patterson, N. J., Press, says: "The First National Bank of this city has had a curious and somewhat troublesome experience with a 'lost letter.' On February 6th last, a letter containing checks, &c., to the amount of $10,000, was mailed from the First National Bank at the Paterson Postoffice, to the Importers' and Traders' National Bank of New York, by the New York agent of the bank here. The New York Bank failed to receive the letter, and, of course, there was much anxiety about it on the part of the officers of the First National Bank, which would have been the loser, if the vouchers were not made good. An exhaustive search was made in the Paterson and New York post-offices, as well as in both the banks, the search extending over days, but no trace of the missing package could be found. Now strong apprehensions of a mail robbery were entertained, and the government officials were impressed with this idea. The First National Bank meanwhile proceeded to make the best arrangements it could for avoiding loss. An extensive correspondence—the package containing 30 accounts of sundry parties—was necessary, and indemnity bonds had to be prepared and given by the bank to all these parties. Finally all was provided for except about $200 of pension checks of the U. S. Government, it taking much longer to arrange that matter, through the dilatory processes of the circumlocution office, than it did the private one.

Now comes the curious denouement: On July 6—exactly six months to a day from the time the letter was lost—the clerks in the post-office in this city had occasion to poke under their stamping table for something that had dropped on the floor, and there, snugly lying in a small crack between the bottom of the table and the floor, was the missing letter, with its $10,000 intact. It was the only letter ever lost at this office, and it is a little remarkable that it should have been so valuable a one and should have caused such extraordinary trouble and anxiety.

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CORN—Western New	87	@ 90
OATS—Western	64	@ 65
RYE—State		@ 1 20
BARLEY—State		@ 1 25
PORK—Mess		@21 25
LARD		@ 14¼

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CATTLE—Choice to extra prime	$5 60	@ 6 00
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Common to fair	2 50	@ 4 00
HOGS—Live	6 50	@ 7 25
SHEEP—Live, good to choice	3 00	@ 4 50
BUTTER—Good to choice	18	@ 24
EGGS—Fresh	14	@ 15
FLOUR—White winter extra	7 50	@ 8 00
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PORK—Mess, new		@21 00
LARD	13¾	@ 14¼

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SHEEP—Live	3 00	@ 4 50
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WHEAT	1 22	@ 1 27
CORN—New	74	@ 76
OATS	62	@ 65
RYE	1 00	@ 1 01
BARLEY	1 20	@ 1 25
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LARD		@ 14

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SHEEP—Good to choice	4 00	@ 5 00
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CORN—New		@ 67
OATS		@ 60¼
RYE	1 00	@ 1 02
BARLEY—New		@ 1 23
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SHEEP—Live, good to choice	3 00	@ 4 50
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EGGS—Fresh	14	@ 15
FLOUR—White winter extra	6 50	@ 8 00
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